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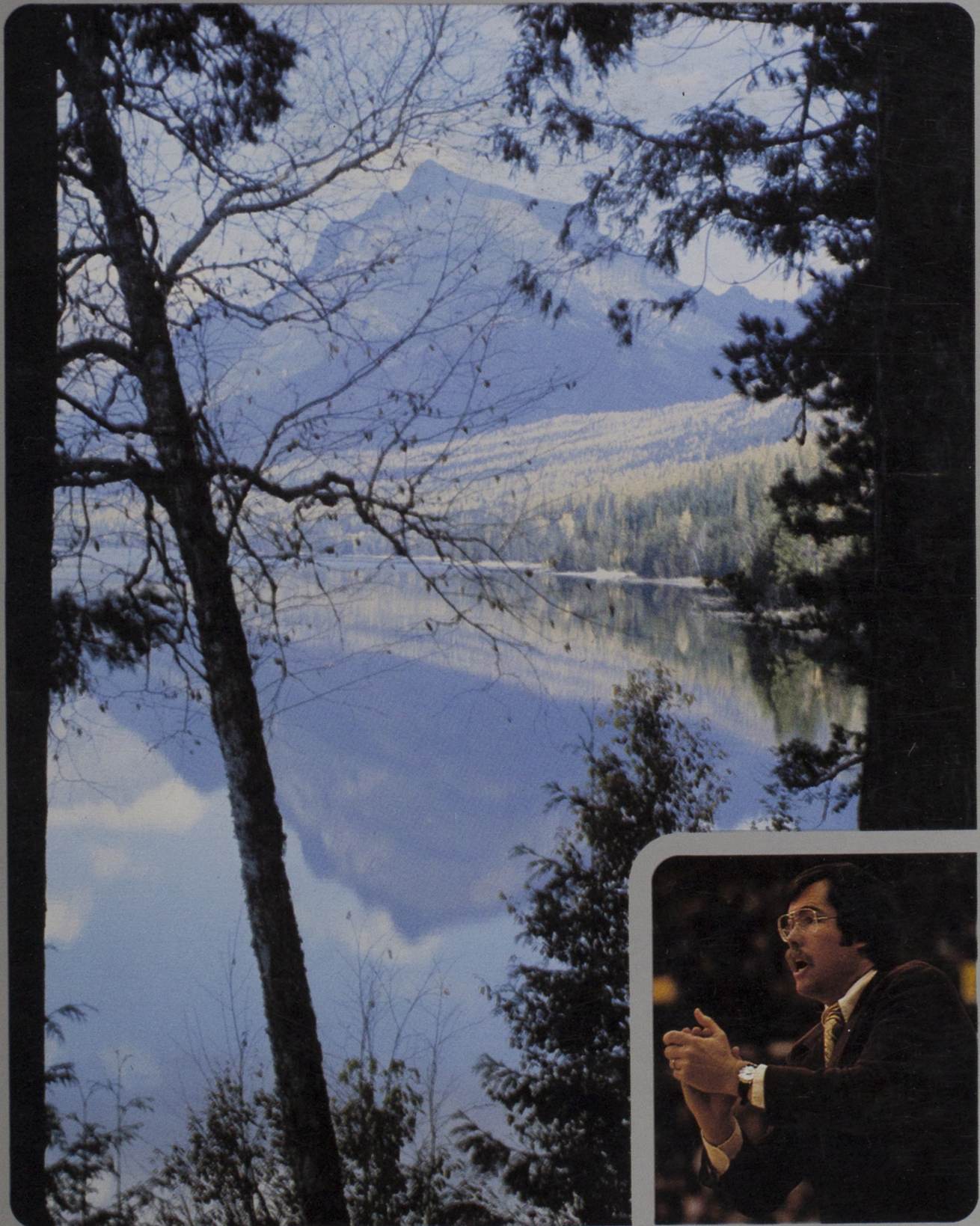
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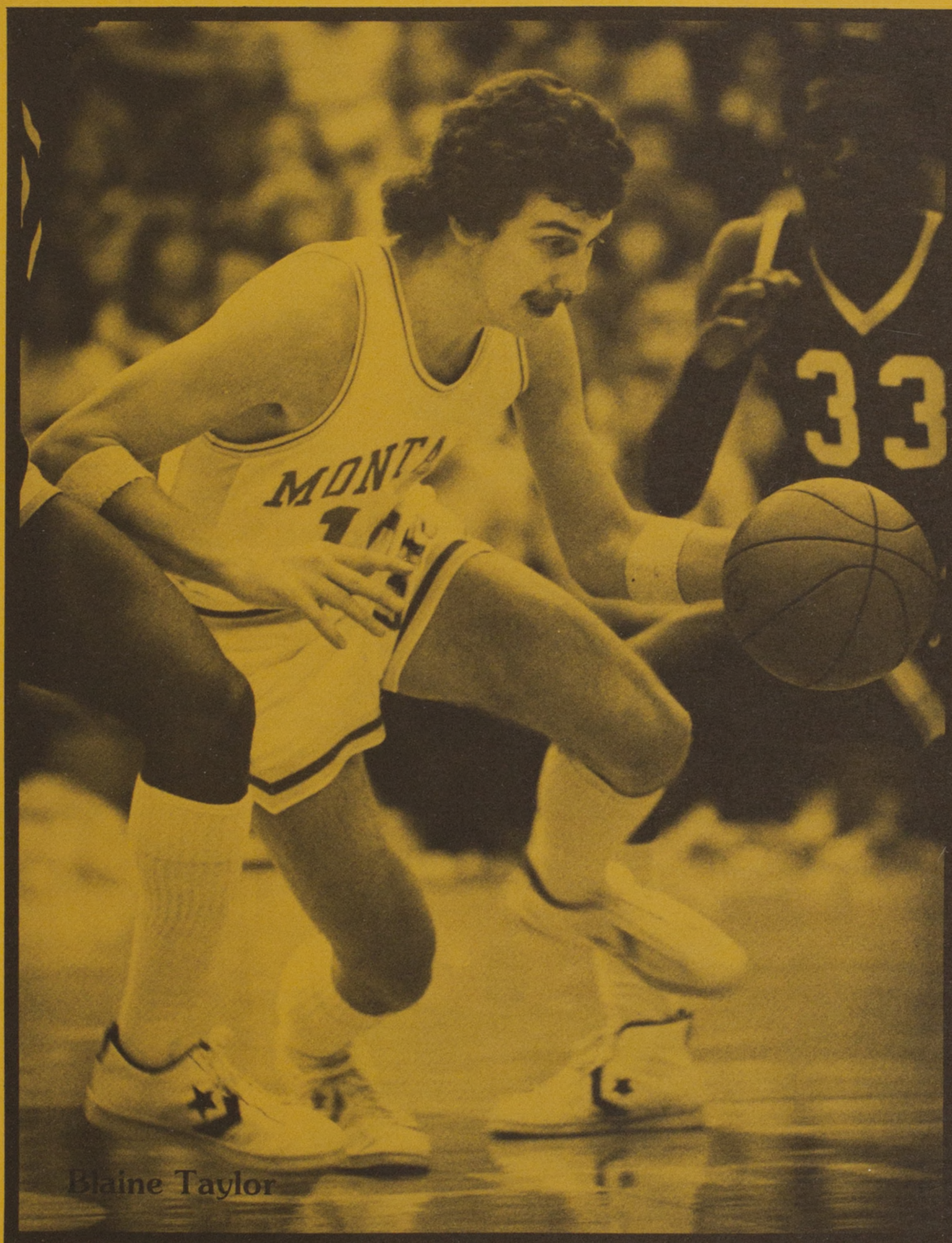
Grizzly Basketball Schedule 1980-81

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE
Friday	Nov. 28	WESTERN WASHINGTON	Missoula, MT
Monday	Dec. 1	SAN JOSE STATE	Missoula, MT
Wednesday	Dec. 3	Portland State	Portland, OR
Saturday	Dec. 6	PUGET SOUND	Missoula, MT
Wednesday	Dec. 10	Northern Colorado	Greeley, CO
Saturday	Dec. 13	CHICO STATE (CA)	Missoula, MT
Monday	Dec. 15	EASTERN WASHINGTON	Missoula, MT
Friday	Dec. 19	CHAMPION HOLIDAY CLASSIC	
Saturday	Dec. 20	(U of Maine, Gonzaga U, Murray State, hosted by U of Montana)	Missoula, MT
Tuesday	Dec. 23	Nebraska	Lincoln, NB
Monday	Dec. 29	KOA Classic (Texas A&M, UC Irvine, E. Montana, hosted by U of Montana)	Billings, MT
Friday	Jan. 9	NEVADA-RENO*	Missoula, MT
Saturday	Jan. 10	N. ARIZONA*	Missoula, MT
Friday	Jan. 16	Weber State*	Ogden, UT
Saturday	Jan. 17	Idaho State*	Pocatello, ID
Friday	Jan. 23	U of IDAHO*	Missoula, MT
Saturday	Jan. 24	BOISE STATE*	Missoula, MT
Saturday	Jan. 31	Montana State*	Bozeman, MT
Thursday	Feb. 5	N. Arizona*	Flagstaff, AZ
Saturday	Feb. 7	Nevada-Reno*	Reno, NV
Friday	Feb. 13	IDAHO STATE*	Missoula, MT
Saturday	Feb. 14	WEBER STATE*	Missoula, MT
Thursday	Feb. 19	Boise State*	Boise, ID
Saturday	Feb. 21	U of Idaho*	Moscow, ID
Saturday	Feb. 28	MONTANA STATE*	Missoula, MT

***Big Sky Conference game**

ON THE COVER: A mountain is reflected off McDonald Lake, located in Glacier National Park, just a three-hour drive from Missoula. (Photo by William Scott Brown). Inset is third-year Grizzly coach Mike Montgomery. (Photo by Gordon Lemon) **BACK COVER:** Is Montana's Dahlberg Arena. (Photo by Bill Sallaz, Rosenblum Gallery)

Grizzly Basketball



*Call it tradition . . .
Call it success . . .
Call it winning . . .
"We call it program."*

The University of Montana ranks 16th in the nation among the 2,400 eligible colleges and universities in production of Rhodes Scholars. UM ranks 4th among schools west of the Mississippi. Rhodes Scholarships provide two to four years at Oxford University in England. Students are chosen on the basis of scholarship, community and political involvement, athletic ability and personal character.

The Yellow Bay Biological Station, located about 70 miles northeast of Missoula on Flathead Lake, is the nation's oldest inland station. Among some 70 inland units in the United States, the UM ranks fifth for its program facilities and student population.

KUFM, a noncommercial public radio station operated by the radio-television department of the School of Journalism, is the only National Public Radio station in Montana.

University of Montana education majors compete very successfully for jobs with 93 percent of those with bachelor's degrees and 100 percent of those with graduate degrees finding appropriate positions.

The Department of Social Work is fully accredited by the Council on Social Work Education and is the only Montana school that assures its graduates of a year of advanced standing in graduate schools of social work.

The School of Journalism has had 17 of its students selected as Sears Congressional interns — more than any other journalism school in the country. During the four-month internship, students work for a United States Congressman or Senator and also attend classes.

The Department of Art enjoys a national reputation for excellence in ceramics.

The Department of Drama/Dance has a professional theater group — the Montana Repertory Theater — based on campus. The Montana Repertory Theater, which tours throughout the Northwest, is the only professional Actors Equity company between Minneapolis and Seattle.

There's Gold in Them Thar Hills!



A University of Montana student has been chosen to receive a Truman Scholarship for three of the last four years. The national scholarship is given annually to students committed to a government career who have superior academic ability and leadership potential.

The Department of Anthropology has the largest collection of artifacts and records of pre-history in the region.



The School of Business is the only business school in Montana to be accredited by the American Assembly of Collegiate Schools of Business.

Nearly 47 percent of the Business School's accounting graduates pass the Certified Public Accountant Exam on their first try. This is more than three times the national first-time success rate of 14 percent.

The Department of Geology has an outstanding national reputation. In cooperation with Purdue University, a field station has been set up in southwestern Montana. The department also provides hands-on experience for students in the minerals, rocks and paleontology laboratories at the University's Seismic Station and in the Earthquake Research Laboratory.

The Department of Geography has one of the region's best cartography laboratories where students learn to make maps and interpret aerial photography.

The Department of Health and Physical Education is one of a handful in the country that trains students to be athletic trainers. And it is the only program in the state to offer a master of science in physical education.

The Native American Studies program at the University of Montana is regarded by Indian educators as one of the four most outstanding in the nation.

Newly remodeled training facilities in the Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders are some of the finest in the region. People from all over the state come to the center for speech, language and hearing therapy.



The first gold discovery in Montana was at Gold Creek, southeast of Missoula by Francois Finlay in 1850. The Gold Creek area was later mined for gold in 1862 by Jesse and Granville Stuart and Reese Anderson.

University of Montana



The University of Montana in Missoula is located in a mountain forest setting in beautiful Western Montana. It is halfway between Glacier and Yellowstone National Parks.

Four wilderness areas are located nearby Missoula. The natural surroundings offer excellent opportunities for hunting, fishing, backpacking, river floating, camping and other outdoor recreational pursuits. Two excellent winter ski areas are located within minutes of the University. Several other ski areas are only a couple of hours away by car. UM owns and operates its own golf course adjacent to campus.

The University of Montana is one of the West's pioneers in education and was chartered February 17, 1893. The school opened in September, 1895, with 50 students enrolling the first day. Located on 201 acres at the base of Mount Sentinel, UM has grown from 50 students and seven faculty members to a present enrollment of 8,880 and approximately 450 fulltime state supported faculty positions.

Throughout its history, the University of Montana has

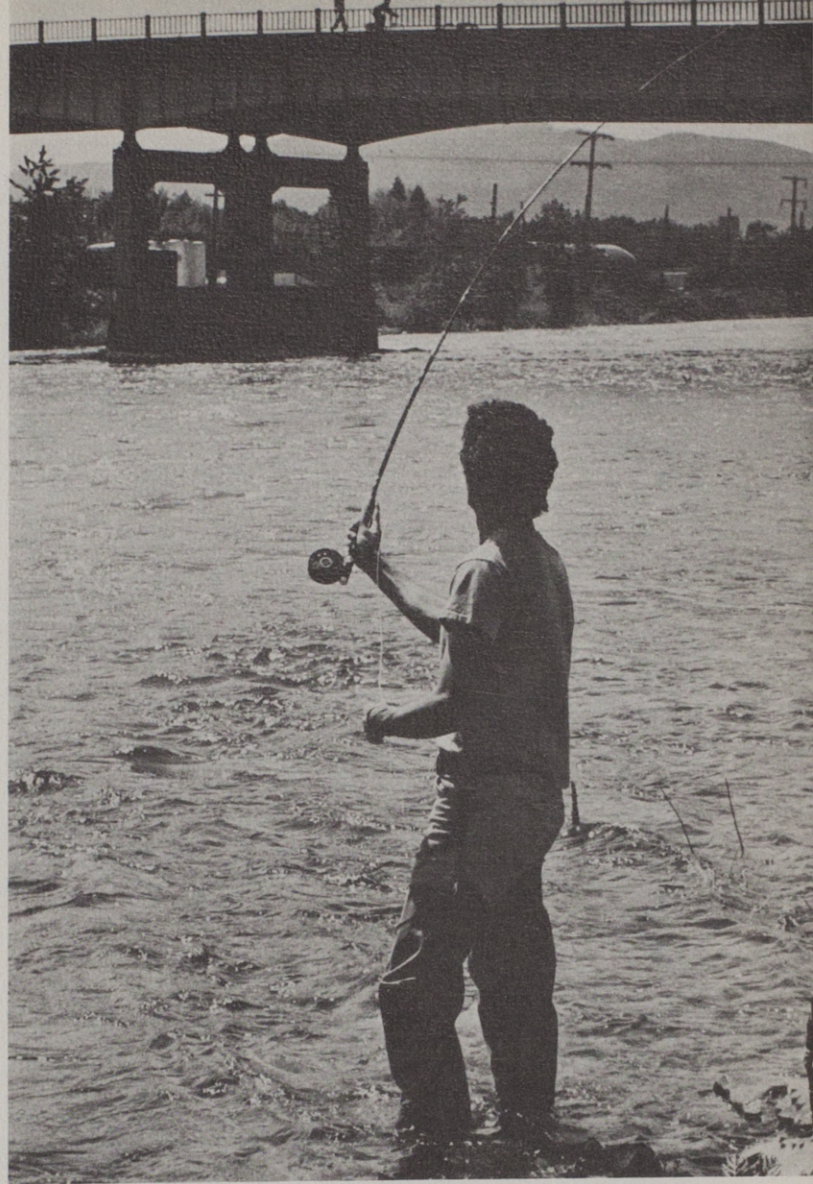
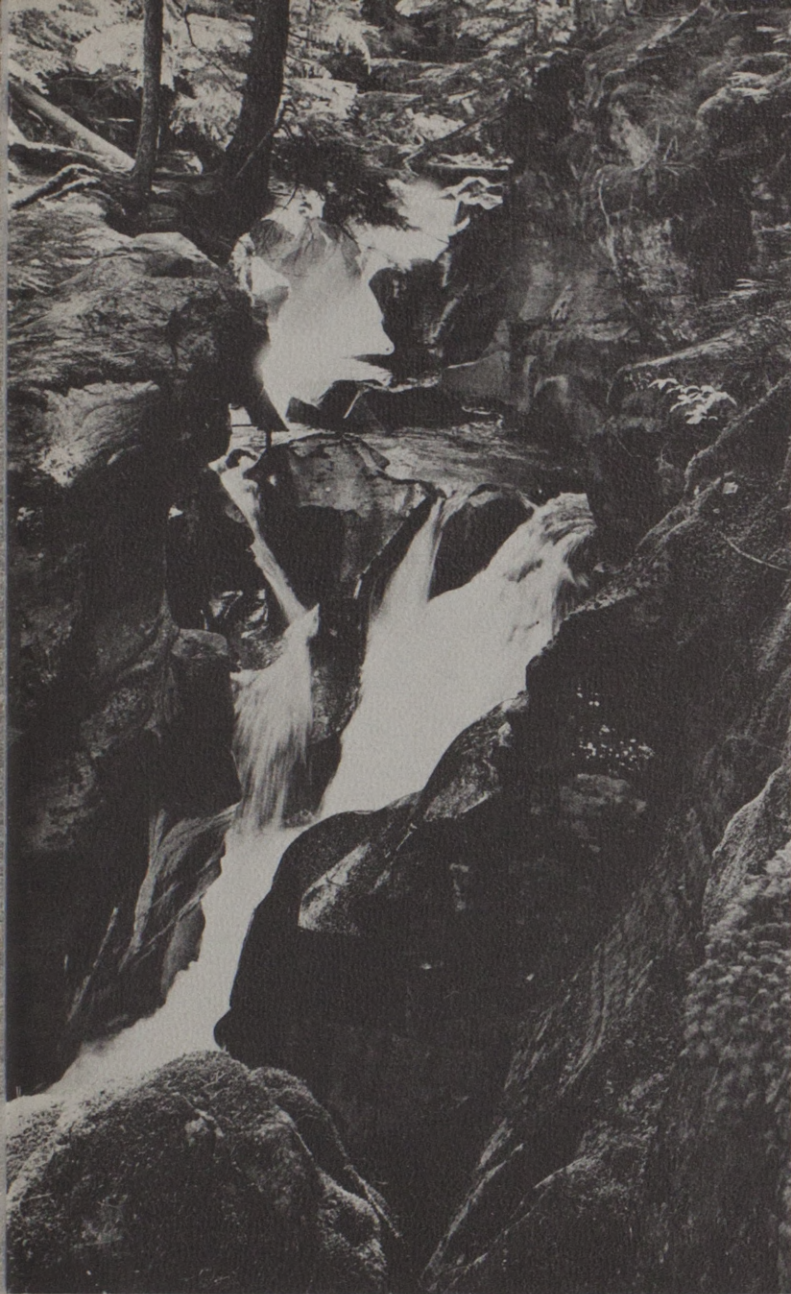
sustained a high standard of academic excellence in teaching, research and service.

UM offers associate of arts degrees in two areas and bachelor's degrees in 58 fields. It offers master's degrees in 54 programs and doctoral degrees in 13.

The College of Arts and Sciences, which is the core of the University, includes a full range of programs and courses in the life sciences, physical sciences, social sciences and humanities. The College also offers curricula in interdisciplinary fields ranging from ethnic studies to interdepartmental studies.

Seven professional schools complete the academic program—Business Administration, Fine Arts, Journalism, Education, Forestry, Law, Pharmacy and Allied Health Sciences.

The aim of the University is to provide its students with a relaxing and meaningful learning experience with the best facilities possible. The administration, faculty and staff strive for this goal.



Glacier National Park



President Richard Bowers

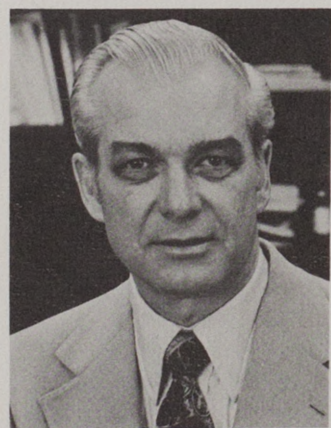
Dr. Richard C. Bowers assumed duties as the 13th president of the University of Montana on July 4, 1974.

Bowers came to UM from Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, where he served as vice president and provost, and professor of chemistry.

As Northern Illinois' provost, he was chief academic officer of the University and had overall responsibility for many other university activities, including computer services, admissions and records, and the library. He also represented Northern Illinois University to the Illinois Board of Regents, the Board of Higher Education of the State of Illinois, and the State Legislature.

Prior to being named vice president and provost in 1969, Bowers served as the Dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences at NIU from 1965-69.

Bowers received his B.S. degree in chemistry from the University of Michigan in 1948 and his Ph.D. in chemistry from the University of Minnesota in 1953. He taught at Northwestern University in Evanston, Ill., beginning in 1954 and became Director of Chemical Laboratories and associate chairman of the Department of Chemistry at Northwestern in 1963.



Athletic Director Harley Lewis

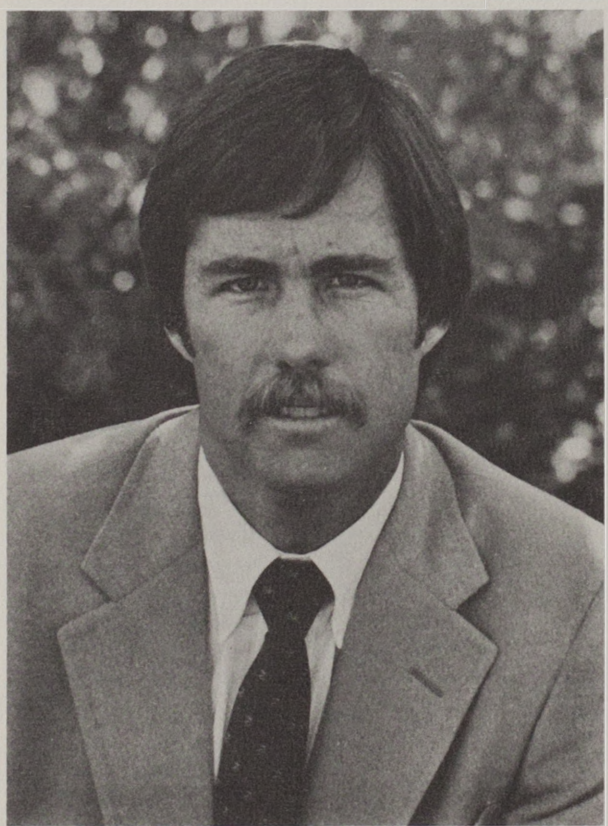
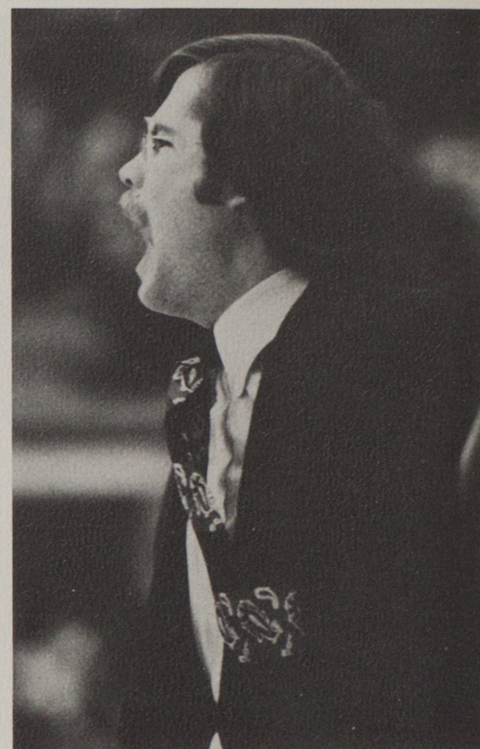
Harley W. Lewis was named athletic director at the University of Montana effective April 14, 1976. He had served as acting athletic director from July 1, 1975.

A 1964 graduate of UM with an M.S. in health, physical education and recreation, Lewis became track and cross country coach at UM in 1966. Prior to assuming coaching responsibilities at UM, the 1959 graduate of Butte High School coached two years at the University of Portland.

Lewis served as cross country coach until 1976 and won nine Big Sky titles until resigning the position. He served as track coach through the 1978 season. While track coach, Lewis won the conference title in 1972. He has been named Big Sky Coach of the Year in cross country and track, ten times. He has served on numerous national committees, worked with U.S. Olympic endeavors and coached several All-American performers at Montana.







Mike Montgomery
Head Coach

Mike Montgomery begins his third season as head coach at the University of Montana, and his fifth year as a Grizzly mentor. He served as an assistant coach at UM for two seasons prior to becoming head coach.

Mike has taken the Grizzlies to the Big Sky Conference postseason playoffs both of his seasons as head coach. Last year his team was nine points away from qualifying from an NCAA Regional berth, bowing 50-42 to nationally ranked Weber State in the conference tournament finale in Ogden.

Montana's 17-11 record last season was the school's seventh winningest in 76 years.

The 33-year-old has 10 years of major college coaching experience. He served as an assistant coach three seasons at Boise State before coming to UM. He has also had coaching stints at the U.S. Coast Guard Academy, Colorado State, the Citadel and the University of Florida.

He likes his teams to fast break on offense, and employs a structured, early offense, "designed for people who are disciplined and can shoot the ball. I stress high-percentage shots and tough rebounding, and patience for the good shot."

Defensively Montgomery likes his opponents "to beat themselves by playing tough and physical, forcing them to take poor percentage shots." He added that he uses many defensive looks, depending on the opponent.

The Grizzlies have led the Big Sky in defense the last nine straight seasons, and were ranked fourth in the nation in 1978-79 — Mike's first season as head coach.

Montgomery is a 1968 graduate of Long Beach State, and is a native of Long Beach, Calif. He played basketball at LBS for four years and volleyball and rugby for two. He earned his masters degree in Physical Education from Colorado State.

His wife's name is Sarah.

Stew Morrill is in his third season as the number one Grizzly assistant in charge of recruiting and scheduling. He was an assistant coach at former Big Sky Conference member Gonzaga University for three years.

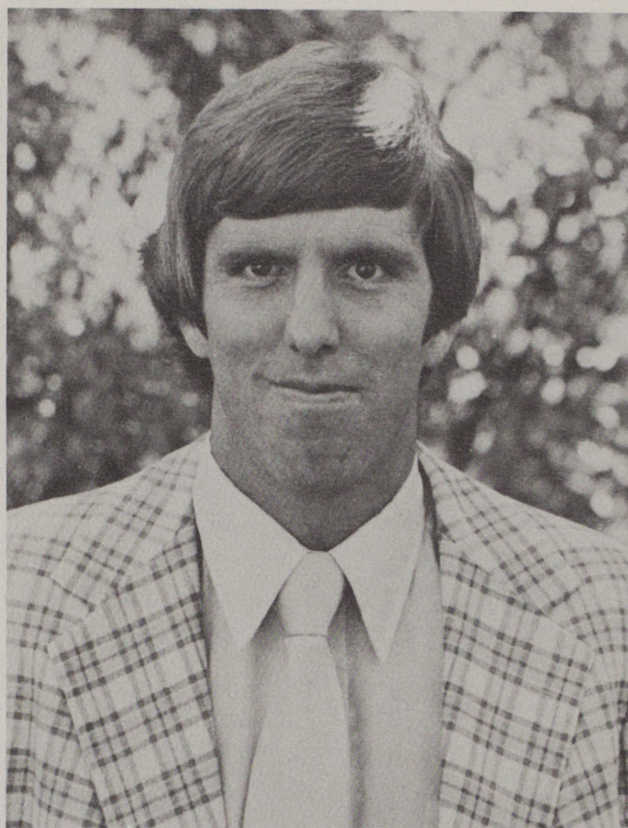
Morrill was the number one coaching assistant at Gonzaga for three years, and was the school's recruiting coordinator for two seasons. He was a graduate assistant for the Bulldogs for one season.

He was an All-Big Sky center at Gonzaga his senior year in 1973-74, and was named team captain and Most Valuable Player for the Bulldogs that season.

Prior to playing at the four-year level he participated in basketball at Ricks College, where he averaged 23 points a game as a sophomore and was named a JC All-American.

He played pro basketball in Europe for a Division I team in Bordeaux, France, after his graduation from Gonzaga in 1974. After a few months with the team he was named player-coach.

From Provo, Utah, Morrill earned nine letters in basketball, football and track at Provo High School. The 28-year-old is single.



Stew Morrill
Assistant Coach



Bob Niehl
Assistant Coach

A newcomer to the Grizzly staff, Robert Niehl joined the basketball program in August of 1980. He will assist in varsity coaching, along with scouting and recruiting, as well as supervise the Grizzly junior varsity program.

Before coming to Montana he served as a parttime coach for head coach George Raveling at Washington State University in Pullman. At WSU he was head coach of the JVs, and assisted in varsity scouting and recruiting in 1978-80. He has also had a lot of experience in basketball camps.

Bob also served as a graduate assistant at WSU for a season. From 1975-77 he was the head basketball and girl's and boy's track coach at Sprague High School in Sprague, Washington.

He was a standout athlete at WSU, where he was a three-year letterman in basketball and team captain his senior season. He was a seven-foot high jumper for the Cougars, and qualified for the NCAAs all four of his collegiate seasons. He is a 1970 graduate of Bethel High School in Spanaway, Washington, where he was also a basketball and track star.

Niehl is a 1975 graduate of WSU, receiving a B.S. in physical education.

The 29-year-old is single.

Athletic Personnel

At the University of Arizona the last five years, Barbara began her job as associate athletic director at UM in August of 1980. She served as women's athletic events coordinator while at UA. Her responsibilities will primarily be in women's athletics in areas of athlete eligibility academics, AIAW rules, scheduling and promotions. She is a 1964 graduate of Ohio State, with a B.A. in physical education. She received her master's degree in recreation and administration from Ohio State in 1968. Prior to her position at Arizona Hollmann was at the University of Washington, where she was the associate director of recreational sports from 1971 through 1974. Her husband, Robert, is an associate professor of management at UM.



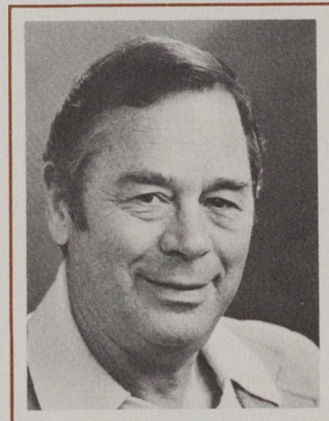
Barbara Hollmann
Asso. Athletic Director



Dave Guffey
Sports Information Director

Dave is in his third year as Grizzly sports information director. His responsibilities include press releases, press guides, game programs and advertising and promotion of men's and women's sports at UM. He was previously the sports editor at the Fresno Guide (Calif.). He received his B.A. in journalism at Fresno State University in 1975. While attending FSU he worked as a student assistant in the sports information office for three years, and also wrote sports for the Fresno Bee. His UM basketball and football press guides, as well as game programs, have been honored by the College Sports Information Director's of America (Co-SIDA) by placing in District 7 competition the past two years.

Dick joined the UM staff in July of 1979. Seaman has lived in Missoula since 1949. He spent almost 24 years in the United States Marine Corps, before retiring in 1966. His last eight years in the service he was in charge of physical conditioning and all athletic equipment. A veteran of World War II, the Korean and Vietnam wars, Seaman played varsity football for the Marines. He played halfback and end. Originally from Williamsport, Pennsylvania, Seaman is married to a Missoula native (Nina).



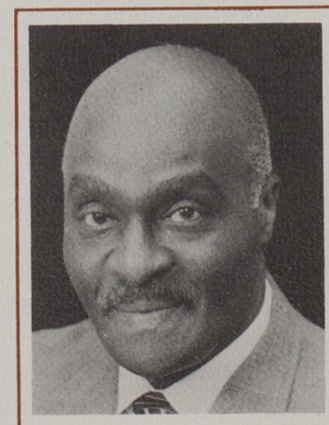
Dick Seaman
Equipment Manager



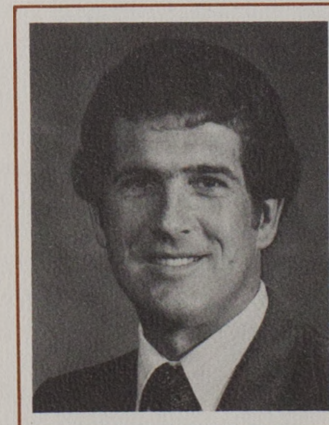
Dr. Evan Denney
Faculty Representative

Beginning his second year as UM's faculty representative, Evan has been an instructor here since 1969. He is now chairman of the Department of Geography at UM. He earned his B.A. at the University of Washington in 1963, his M.A. at Washington in 1965, and his Ph.D. from Washington in 1970. Prior to his UM teaching career he taught at Washington (1966-69) and Colorado State (1965-66). From Tacoma, Washington, Denney is associated with several professional organizations. He determines academic eligibility for UM athletes.

Naseby is the only men's athletic trainer Montana has known. A month after his graduation from UM in 1935, he was appointed Montana's first athletic trainer. He was a standout athlete while attending high school in Milwaukee and became one of Montana's finest all-around athletes, earning nine varsity letters in football, basketball and track. He has received many honors and accolades during his 44 years at Montana, including the Grizzly Cup, which he won in 1935 and his son Pete won in 1958.

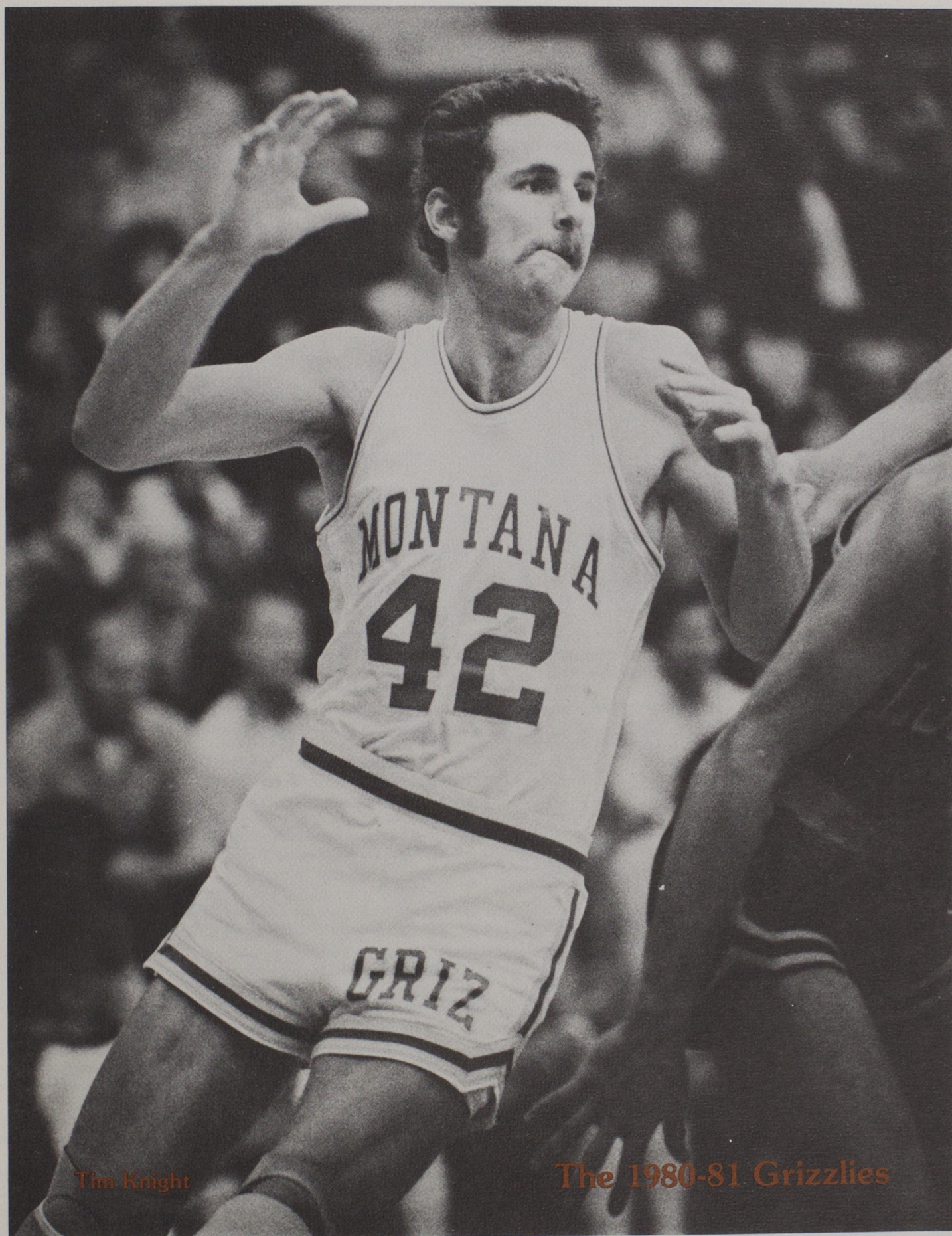


Naseby Rhinehart
Athletic Trainer



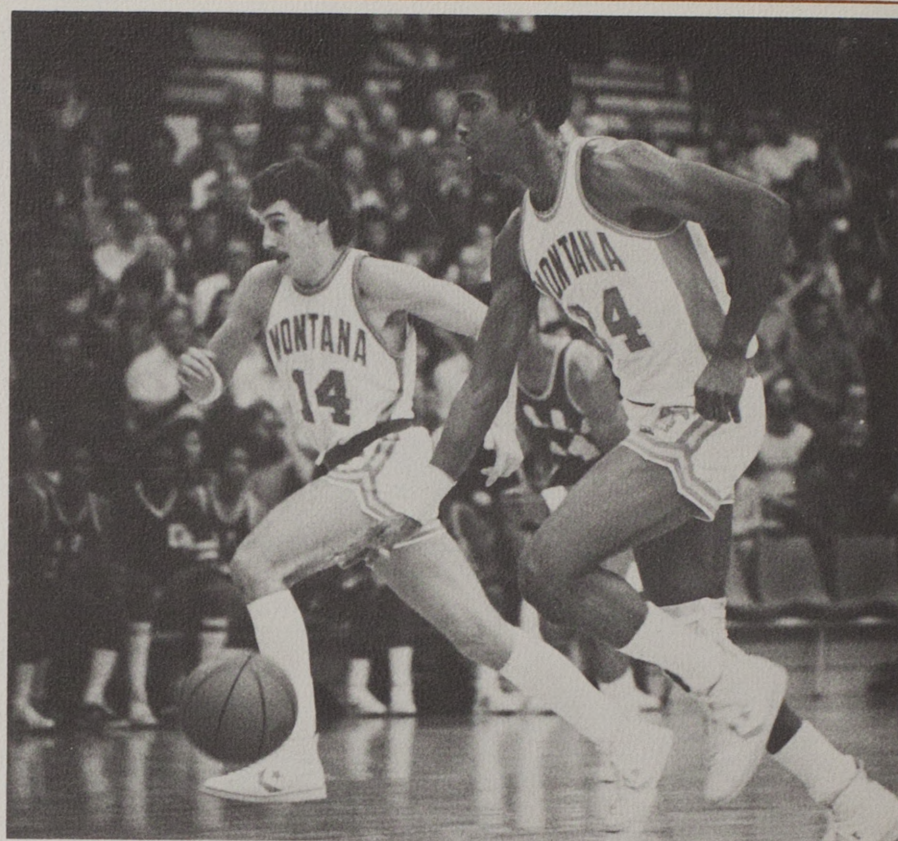
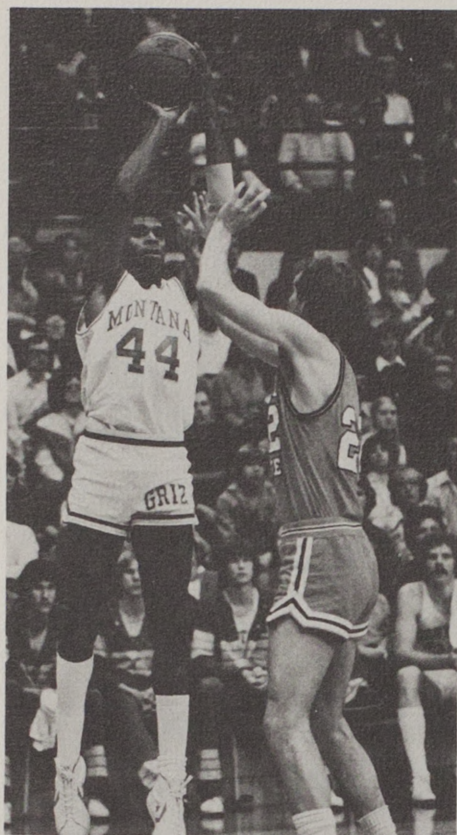
Gary Hughes
Ticket Manager

Gary has been ticket manager at UM since 1966. In 1978 he was also appointed field house manager. He schedules all events in Adams Field house and at Dornblaser Stadium in addition to handling ticket distribution. He is a native of Ronan, Montana and graduated in accounting from the Missoula Business College in 1962. He gained extensive experience in accounting and auditing before assuming his responsibilities at Montana.



Tim Knight

The 1980-81 Grizzlies



1980-81 Grizzly Outlook

Coach Mike Montgomery welcomed 10 lettermen and four returning starters, the first day of University of Montana basketball practice this season.

"This is the first year since I've been here that we've had as many veteran starters coming back," Montgomery said.

The four veteran starters the mustachioed coach is referring to are forwards Marty Green (6-10) and Rod Brandon (6-6) and guards Blaine Taylor (6-2) and Craig Zanon (6-6). All four players are seniors.

Zanon was the Grizzlies' leading scorer last season with 377 points, giving him an average of 15.1. He was also a second All-Big Sky Conference pick, and an all-tournament player at the University of Nevada-Las Vegas-hosted Rebel Roundup Tournament. He was the only player off the third of fourth place team that was selected to the all-tourney team.

Taylor, from Missoula's Hellgate School (along with Green), was an honorable mention all conference pick. He was the teams' No. 2 scorer with an 11.2-points per game average. He had 104 assists and also led the team in free throw percentage (.843).

Brandon, another senior, is from Norwalk, Calif. He has been named the Grizzlies' outstanding defensive player the last two seasons. He averaged 7.6 points and 5.4 rebounds a game last season.

Green came on strong last season, and finished averaging 6.7 points and 4.5 rebounds a contest. He was second on the team with 10 blocked shots. He was the teams' leading rebounder in six games and had 11 against Idaho State, in a 65-52 conference road win.

"The veterans know the system, have played together, and complement each other very well," said Montgomery, who has guided UM to the playoffs both his two seasons as head coach. "I think we have a chance to have a very good year."

"The question mark," Montgomery continued, "will be a center, where we lost John Stroeder. We're hoping sophomore Craig

Larsen (6-11) will be ready to take over that position. He has all the skills necessary."

Stroeder was a three-time all conference center at UM, and finished as the UM's No. 9 career scorer and No. 10 rebounder. He is currently playing professional basketball for Club Fiat in Birmingham, England.

Montgomery will not only have four starters back, but he will also have senior Tim Knight (6-8) and sophomore Derrick Pope (6-6), two players who saw a lot of action in the Grizzlies' 17-11 team of a year ago. Knight has the ability to play forward or center.

Add to those two lettermen Larsen, Jim Caler (6-6), Brian Morris (6-7) and Dave Johnson (6-10).

On top of that, Montgomery feels he had an outstanding recruiting year, adding Doug Selvig (6-4½ from Outlook), Rob Hurley (6-5 from Anaconda), Dave Johnson (6-4 from Los Angeles) and Ron Brumfield (6-8) from San Jose.

"We feel optimistic, because it's obvious we could be a good basketball team," Montgomery said. "But a lot of things will have to happen for us to be of championship calibre. Key injuries are always a factor. We also need significant improvement from all of our returnees."

Montgomery said he expected the same teams in last year's playoffs — UM, Idaho, Weber State and Montana State — to all be in the thick of the Big Sky race. "The most consistent teams will be the ones in the chase," he said.

"As far as we're concerned, we've got to improve our ability to score," Montgomery said. "But, we expect defense will once again play a key role in our success."

The Grizzlies have led the Big Sky Conference in defense the last nine seasons in-a-row and hold the record for the top defensive scoring average (60.3 in 1978-79). Montana has been ranked in the top 20 in team defense the past two years, including fourth two seasons ago.



The 1980-81 Grizzlies, back row, from left: Steve Robertson, manager, assistant coach Bob Niehl, Craig Zanon, Rob Hurley, Jim Caler, Ron Brumfield, Marty Green, Craig Larsen, Dave Johnson, Tim Knight, Brian Morris, Derrick Pope, Rob Brandon, assistant coach Stew Morrill, head coach Mike Montgomery. Front row, from left, Doug Selvig, Marc Glass, trainer Naseby "Doc" Rhinehart, Blaine Taylor, Dave "DJ" Johnson.

1980-81 Grizzly Basketball Roster

No.	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown
34	Rod Brandon***	F	6-6	195	Sr.	Norwalk, CA
22	Ron Brumfield	F	6-8	190	Fr.	San Jose, CA
30	Jim Caler*	F	6-6	190	So.	Lakewood, CO
12	Marc Glass#	G	6-3	180	Fr.	Battle Ground, WA
50	Martin Green**	F	6-10	200	Sr.	Missoula, MT
32	Rob Hurley	F	6-4½	195	Fr.	Anaconda, MT
54	Dave Johnson*	C	6-10	205	So.	Rowland Heights, CA
10	Dave Johnson	G	6-4	180	Fr.	Los Angeles, CA
42	Tim Knight*	F	6-8	200	Sr.	Riverside, CA
52	Craig Larsen*	C	6-11	215	So.	Aurora, CO
20	Brian Morris*	G	6-7	180	So.	Missoula, MT
44	Derrick Pope*	F	6-6	190	So.	Aurora, CO
24	Doug Selvig	G	6-4½	165	Fr.	Outlook, MT
14	Blaine Taylor***	G	6-2	175	Sr.	Missoula, MT
40	Craig Zanon**	G	6-6	190	Sr.	Kalispell, MT

HEAD COACH: Mike Montgomery

ASSISTANTS: Stew Morrill, Bob Niehl

*Denotes Letters Won — #Injury redshirt

TRAINER: Naseby Rhinehart

MANAGER: Steve Robertson

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Craig Zanon

6-6, 190, Guard
Senior from Kalispell, Montana

Mr. Excitement in the Grizzly lineup, Craig Zanon was Montana's leading scorer last season, averaging 15.1 points a game. His 377 points last year ranks him 22nd in UM single season scoring records.

Zanon was also a second team All-Big Sky Conference guard, along with now-graduated center John Stroeder. Zanon was named all-tournament at University of Nevada-Las Vegas hosted Rebel Roundup Tournament. He was the only player off the third or fourth place team to make the squad.

"Craig is an extremely competitive, hard-working individual," said coach Mike Montgomery. "He gets a whole lot of mileage out of his ability. Of course, he is talented, and has really improved at the guard position for as long as he has played it, which is about a-year-and-a-half."

"Craig will probably be our leading scorer again this year," Montgomery continued; "just because he finds ways to score. Craig, as well as being Academic All-American candidate, is also a legitimate all-conference candidate."

Last season Zanon was the team's leading scorer in 14 of 25 games, including a season's high 25 points in a win over Montana State in Missoula. He led the team in rebounding three games and had a season high of eight against North Texas State and the University of Idaho.

In conference play "CZ" was 10th in scoring (15 points a game), sixth in steals (1.2) and third in free throw percentage (.852). He was given the Naseby Rhinehart Award in 1979-80, which is presented to the most inspirational player.

He played for Flathead High School in Kalispell, where he lettered three times in basketball and twice in football, and was all-state in both sports his senior year. He was the MVP in basketball in Divisionals in 1977, and made the all-state tournament team that season.

His prep coach was Jack McWhorter. His older brother, Rick, also a guard, lettered twice for the Grizzlies.

An accounting major, Craig plans to go to law school after graduating. He has been an All-Big Sky academic pick the past two seasons, and is bidding for an Academic All-American berth. He maintains a 3.72 GPA in accounting.

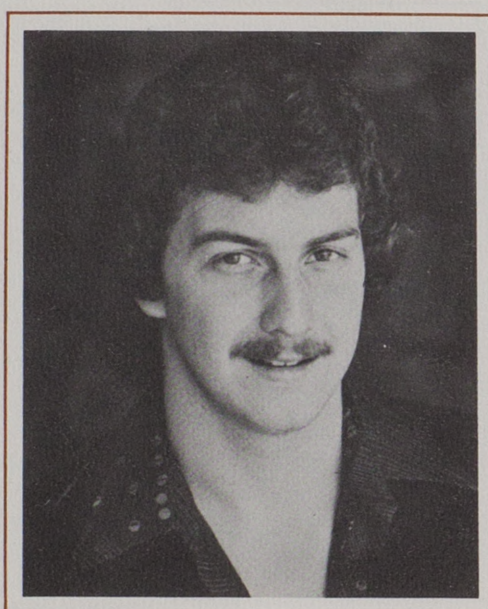
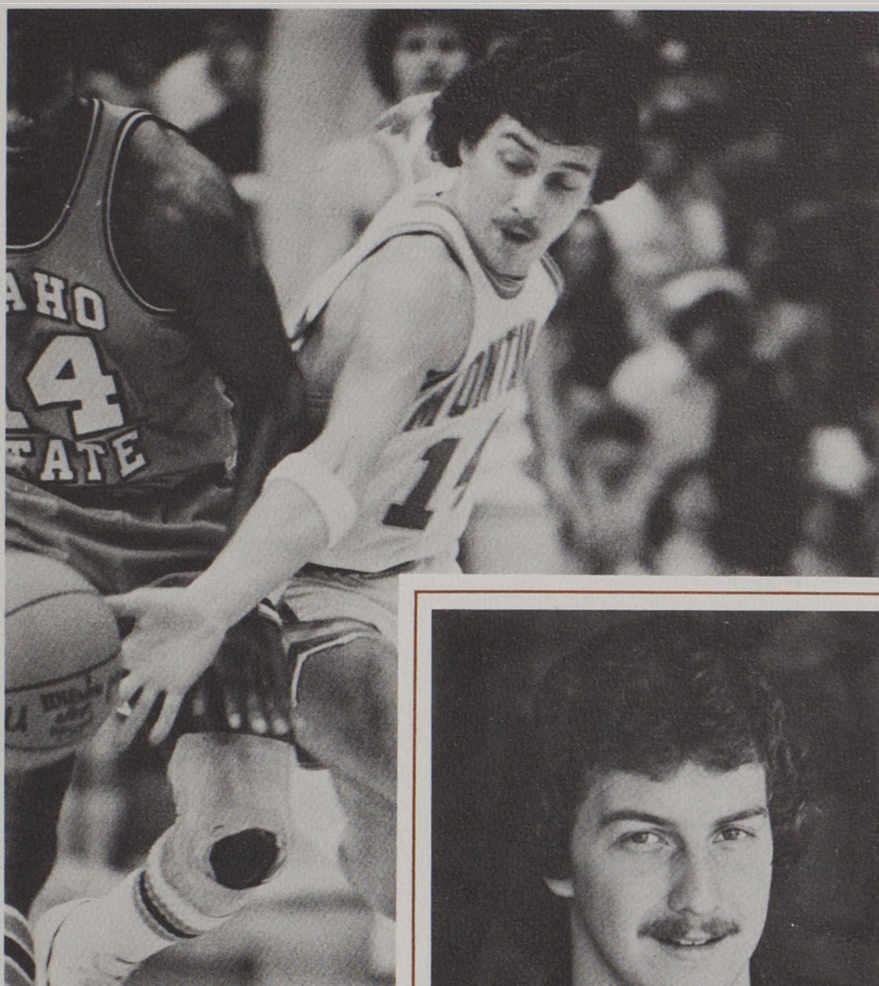
His hobbies are tennis, golf and water skiing.

Craig's parents are Robert & Adele Zanon of Kalispell.

Birthdate: March 14, 1959.

Year	G	FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	PF-D	Pts.	Avg.	High
1979-80	25	121-254	.476	135-163	.828	95	3.8	74-2	377	15.1	25
1978-79	26	65-126	.516	57-76	.750	70	2.7	66-4	187	7.2	14
1977-78	18	11-16	.688	10-23	.435	14	0.8	19-0	32	1.8	5

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Blaine Taylor

6-2, 177, Guard
Senior from Missoula, Montana

An honorable mention All-Big Sky Conference selection, Blaine Taylor led the Grizzlies in assists (104), minutes played (32.8 average), field goal percentage (.489) and free throw percentage (.843).

"Tails" was also the teams' second leading scorer with 314 points, averaging 11.2 per game. He played in all 28 games last season, starting in all but one of them.

"Taylor is probably the guy that makes the whole thing go," Montgomery said. "He's the glue behind the team. We are able to get away with playing a big guard (Zanon), who really isn't a guard, having Blaine on the floor. He's like having a coach on the floor, because he understands the game, has great peripheral vision and is a great passer."

"He also handles the ball very well for us," Montgomery added. "He will probably never get the recognition he deserves, but from a coaching standpoint he's the type of guy you have to have. He is a candidate for all conference honors."

Blaine was the 18th ranked Big Sky scorer in 14 conference games with an 11.6 average. In Big Sky action he was ninth in assists (54) fifth in free throw percentage (.844) and 10th in steals (16).

He led the Grizzlies in scoring in six games, including a season's high 24 in a win against Portland State. He was a Big Sky Player of the Week once last season, as well as once the previous year.

A standout prep player for the Hellgate High School Knights, Taylor was coached by Russ Sheriff, a former Grizzly standout who led UM in rebounding for three seasons (1955-1958).

Taylor was an all-state player three times, and averaged 18 points a game during his high school career. He was team captain his junior and senior seasons. In 1976 Hellgate placed fourth in the state in "AA" and he was the state MVP." He participated in the Montana-Wyoming All-Star game. He also lettered in football.

He is a Social Studies major and hopes to become a teacher and coach.

His hobbies are softball, football, hunting and fishing.

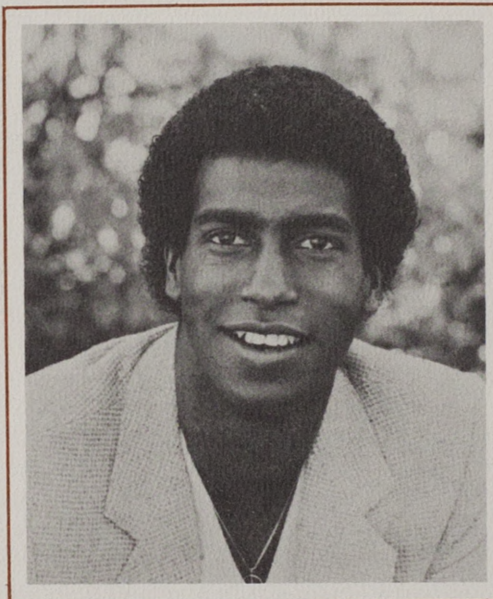
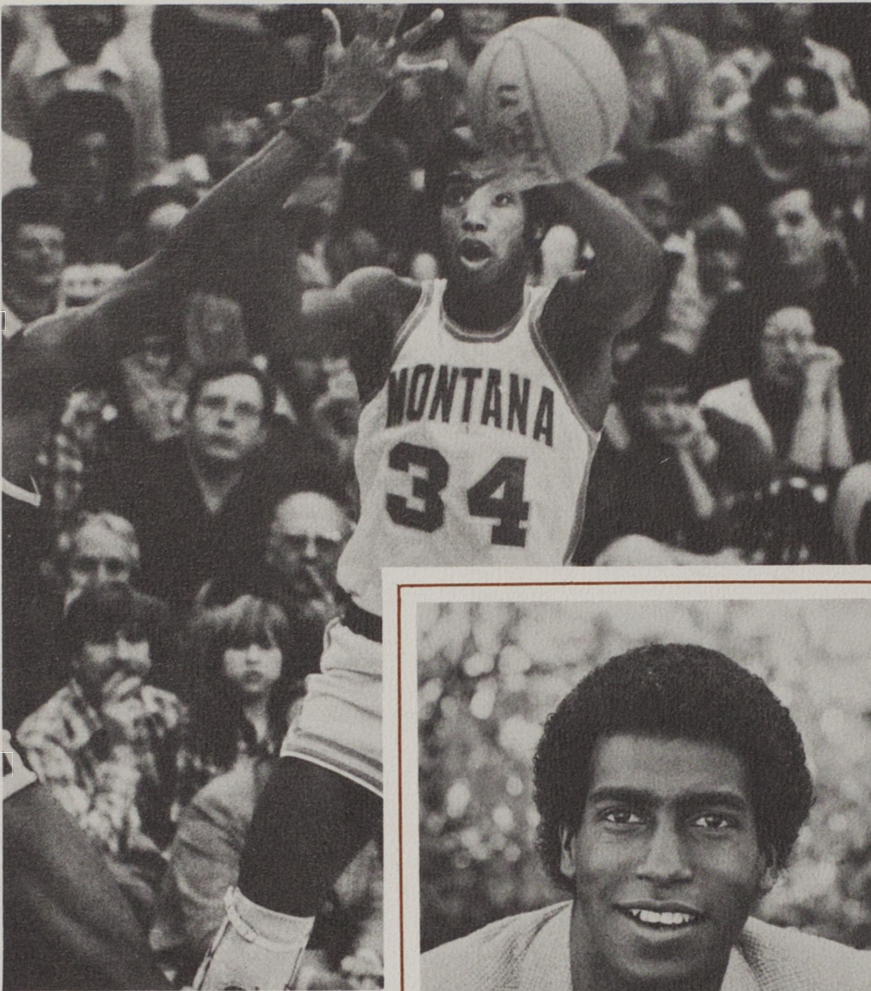
He is the son of Leon & Loretta Taylor of Ronan, Montana.

His wife's name is Annie Marie, and his daughter's name is Amber Lee.

Birthdate: January 14, 1958.

Year	G	FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	PF-D	Pts.	Avg.	High
1979-80	28	114-233	.489	86-102	.843	75	2.7	64-3	314	11.2	24
1978-79	27	65-162	.401	29-38	.763	42	1.6	46-1	159	5.9	18
1977-78	19	13-42	.310	10-13	.769	11	0.6	18-0	36	1.9	6

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Roderick Brandon

6-6, 202, Forward
Senior from Norwalk, California

A strong, physical player, Rod Brandon was only one of two Grizzly players who started in all 28 games, despite the fact he was slowed down with injuries early in the season.

He was the Grizzlies fourth leading scorer in 1979-80, averaging 7.6 points a game (213), and the No. 2 rebounder with a 5.4 average (151).

"We expect a tremendous amount of senior leadership from Rod," said Montgomery. "We also expect him to have a better shooting year than he has had in the past."

"Rod is potentially the best defensive player in the conference," Montgomery said. "He got off to a slow start last year because of an injury to his thigh. Toward the end of the season he started to come back and be the player he's capable of being. He is definitely a potential all conference player. He is a hard worker, and an excellent program player."

"Rocket" lead the Grizzlies in scoring in three games and in rebounding in six last year. His high point output was 13 (twice) and he had a team-high eight rebounds in a home win over Boise State. He has been given the John Earheart Award, which goes to the outstanding defensive player, the last two seasons.

At Gahr High School in Norwalk, California, Rod was all conference and all-CIF for two seasons, as well as league MVP his senior season, in 1976. As a senior he averaged 22 points and 14 rebounds a game. His prep coach was Tom Pryor.

His hobbies are tennis, hiking, fishing and jazz music.

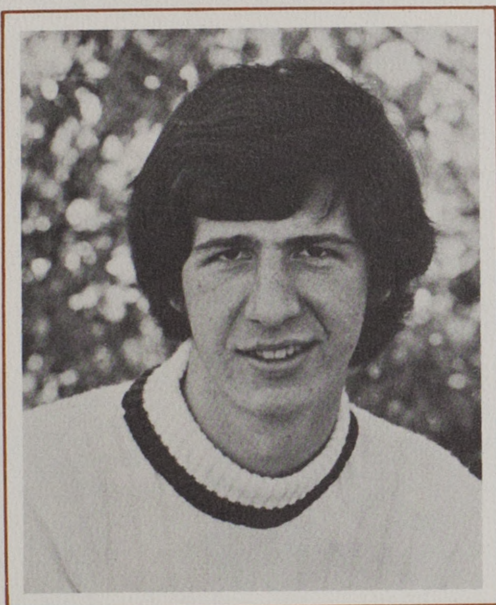
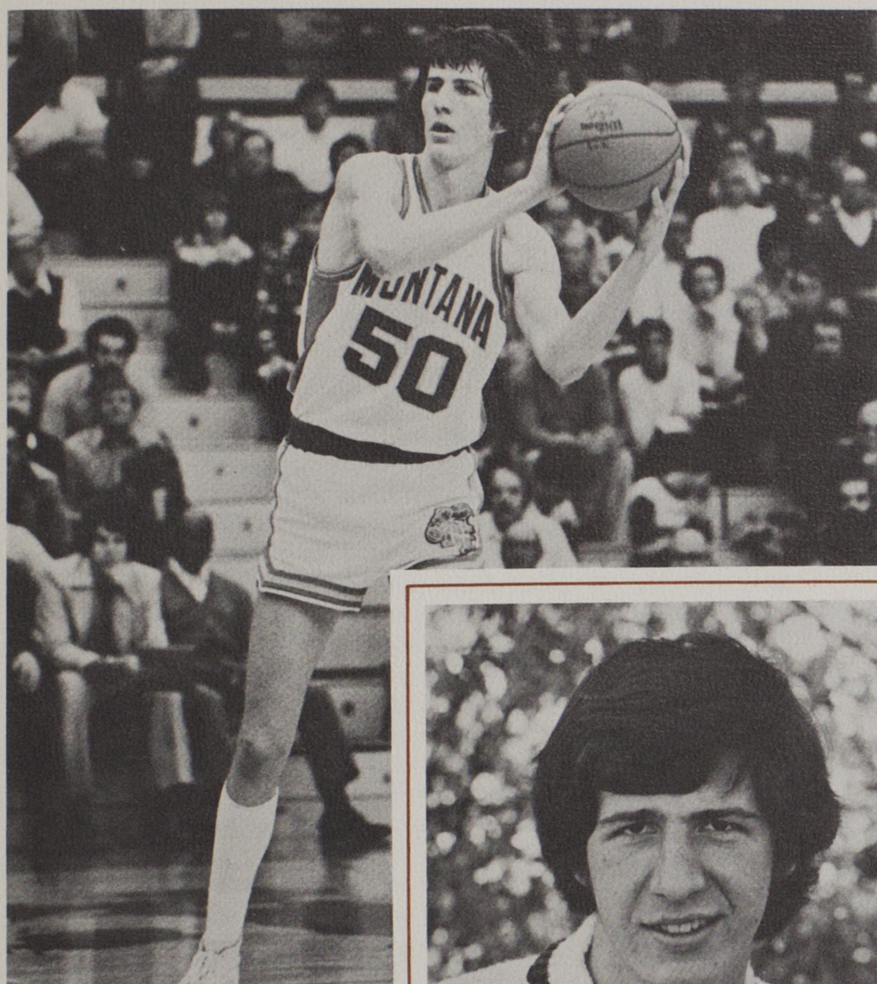
He is a Business Management major.

Rod's parents are Charles and Linda Brandon of Norwalk, California.

Birthdate: January 1, 1959.

Year	G	FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	PF-D	Pts.	Avg.	High
1979-80	28	92-198	.467	29-62	.468	151	5.4	94-5	213	7.6	14
1978-79	26	43-97	.443	21-33	.636	67	2.6	67-2	107	4.1	13
1977-78	28	22-72	.306	23-34	.676	66	2.4	50-0	67	2.4	10

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Marty Green

6-10, 195, Forward
Senior from Missoula, Montana

A durable player, Marty Green started all 28 games for the Grizzlies last season. His season high scoring game was 16 points in a win over Stout State. He was also Montana's leading rebounder in that game. He led the team in rebounding in six games, and had a season-high 11 in an important conference road win at Idaho State.

He was UM's fifth leading scorer with 188 points (6.7 average), and the No. 3 rebounder with 132 (4.7 average).

"Marty is a legitimate 6-10 forward, which gives us the dimension of having a forward with that kind of size that a lot of teams don't have," Montgomery said. He has good perimeter shooting ability. He is probably our best passing forward. He is another potential all-star candidate."

"Martone" had 18 steals and was second on the team in blocked shots with 10.

A local product, as are two other Grizzlies (Blaine Taylor and Brian Morris), Marty has steadily improved each season.

At Hellgate High School he was team captain his senior season, as well as an all-conference player. He played with Grizzly player Blaine Taylor in 1976 when the Knights placed fourth in the state. He was a two-year letterman as a prep. His high school coach was Russ Sheriff. He averaged 14 points and 10 rebounds a game as a senior. He is a 1977 graduate of Hellgate H.S.

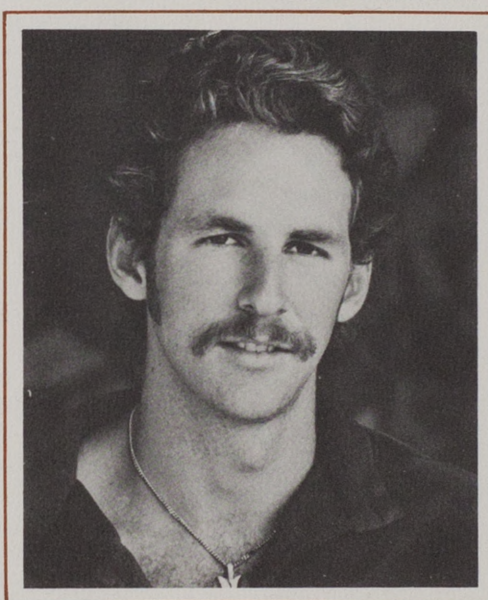
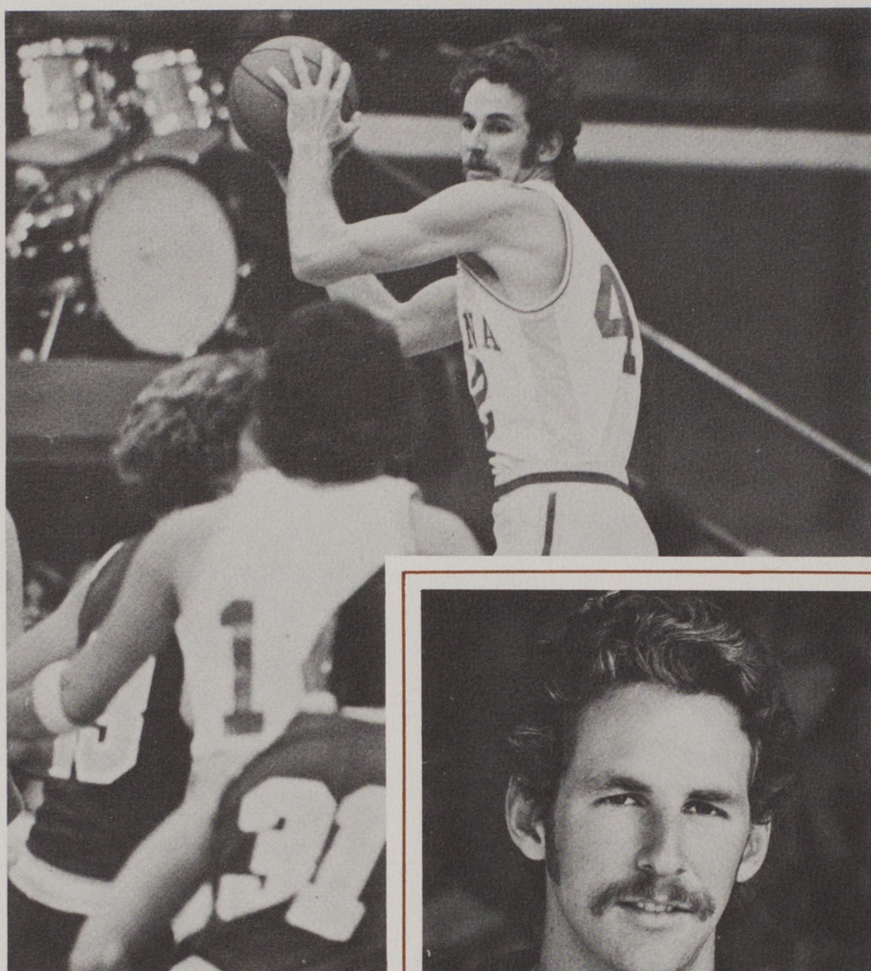
His hobbies are fishing, hunting and darts.

Marty is majoring in Forestry.

His parents are Hugh and Alice Green of Missoula.
Birthdate: December 11, 1958.

Year	G	FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	PF-D	Pts.	Avg.	High
1979-80	28	79-179	.441	30-51	.588	132	4.7	70-3	188	6.7	16
1978-79	17	9-18	.500	3-9	.333	24	1.4	17-0	21	1.2	7

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Tim Knight

6-8, 200, Forward/Center
Senior from Riverside, California

Tim Knight adds a double dimension to the Grizzlies because he has the ability to play forward or center. He proved to be invaluable last year playing both positions.

He played in all 28 games last year, starting in four. He was the squads' sixth leading rebounder (3.3), despite averaging only 15 minutes a game. He scored 145 points for a 5.2 per game average.

"Knighter is going to be asked to do a lot of things this year," Montgomery said. "Tim is extremely hard-working. He is an excellent program player who does a lot of things for us that people probably don't notice."

"He will be asked to play more than one position," Montgomery noted. "He has the size at 6-8 to play center, as a matter of fact he started at center for us against San Jose State when we beat them down there. He is a very heady player with excellent inside moves, and has been working on his perimeter shooting. He could potentially start at any of three positions along the front line."

"Knightrightime" opened last season in style, scoring a team and season high 18 points in a victory over Doane College. He also led the squad in rebounding in that game with nine. His free throw with no time left gave UM a 56-55 home win over Reno.

At Saddleback Junior College in Mission Viejo, Calif., Knight's team was ranked fifth and second in the state, respectively his two years there. His sophomore year Saddleback averaged 107 points a game to lead the nation. Six players off his JC team went on to play at Division I universities. He was a two-time all conference player in junior college.

He attended Ramona High School in Riverside, where he was a three-year letterman and team captain his final two seasons. His high school coach was Paul C. Smith. His JC coach was Bill Mulligan.

His hobbies are bicycling, backpacking and fishing. He is a Psychology major.

Tim's parents are Ralph and Joyce Knight of Riverside, California.

Birthdate: December 14, 1957.

Year	G	FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	PF-D	Pts.	Avg.	High
1979-80	28	43-93	.462	59-87	.678	88	3.3	45-0	145	5.2	21

22 Ron Brumfield

6-8, 205, Forward
Freshman from San Jose, California

Ron Brumfield (pronounced Broom-field), averaged 20 points and 10 rebounds a game at Willow Glen High School in San Jose, Calif. He was the MVP of the Santa Teresa League his junior year, a first team all-leaguer as a senior, and first team Central Coast Section in 1980.

His prep team was 25-5 his senior year. His team won the conference title his final two seasons at Willow Glen. His high school coach was Bob Burton, who is now the head coach at West Valley Junior College in California.

"Ron is a freshman who is 6-8 and just turned 18," Montgomery said. "He comes from a very good high school program where he was well coached. At 6-8 he has a very good shooting touch. We think Ron is a guy, who as he develops and matures, will be a fine player in our program."

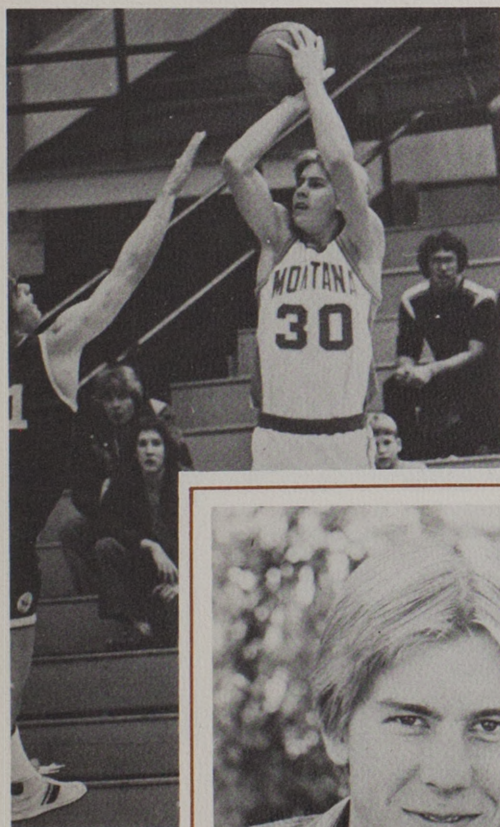
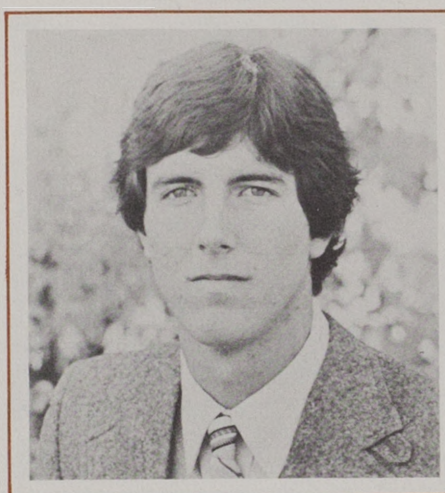
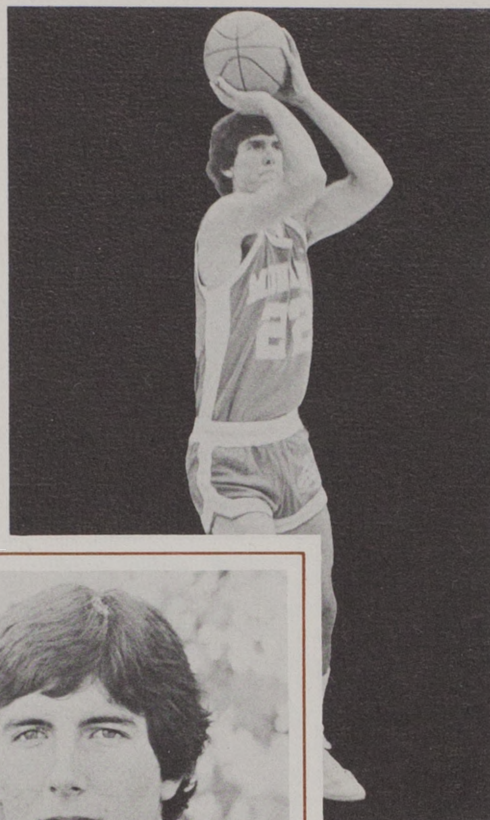
A three-year letterman in basketball, Brumfield also earned two letters in tennis.

His major is undeclared.

His hobbies are fishing and hunting.

Ron's parents are James and Bernadine Brumfield of Incline Village, Nevada.

Birthdate: October 6, 1962.



30 Jim Caler

6-6, 190, Forward
Sophomore from Lakewood, Colorado

One of the strongest players on the team, Jim Caler, played in eight varsity games his first year as a Grizzly. He was the third leading scorer on the junior varsity team, averaging 12.3 point per game. He was second in rebounds for the JVs, averaging 7.0.

"Jim needs to utilize his abilities," said Montgomery. "He's got tremendous speed, shoots the ball very well, is very physical and has a lot of attributes you look for in a basketball player. He is another one of our younger players who we are counting on to give us some valuable playing time."

Caler led the JVs in scoring twice, scoring a team-high 19 points in a win over the Helena All-Stars. He had 17 rebounds in one JV contest.

Varsity-wise he scored 21 points and had 14 rebounds.

He was all-state, MVP of the Jefferson County League, a member of the Colorado All-Star team, and All-Metro at Bear Creek High School in Lakewood, Colorado.

He averaged 20.1 points a game, made 53 percent of his shots and led the league in scoring. His high school coach was Gary Goings.

Caler was also a two-year letterman in track, where he ran the 220 and low hurdles. He lettered three times in basketball.

His major is Business Management.

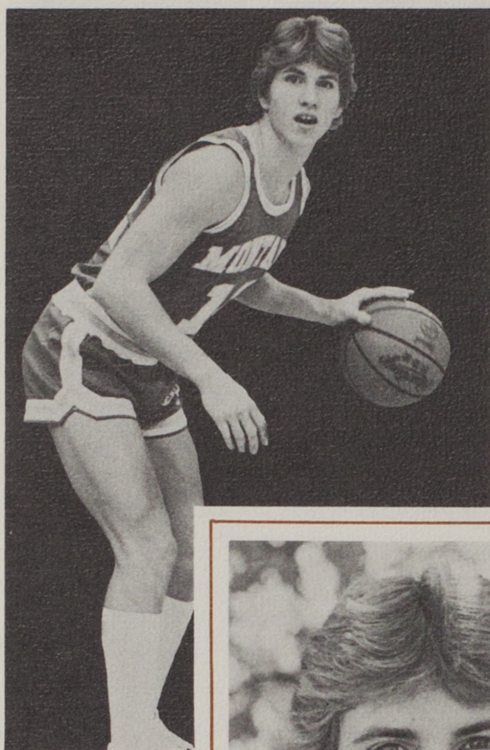
His hobbies are water skiing, racquetball and swimming.

Jim's parents are Mr. and Mrs. James L. Caler, Jr. of Lakewood.

Birthdate: February 10, 1961.



Year	G	FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	PF-D	Pts.	Avg.	High
1979-80	8	10-23	.435	1-4	.250	14	1.8	8-0	21	2.6	8



12 **Marc Glass** 6-3, 180 Guard Freshman from Battle Ground, Washington

Coming off an injury redshirt year as a frosh, Marc Glass has four more years left in the Grizzly basketball program. He suffered a shoulder injury in a recreational accident last year.

"We're very high on Marc," Montgomery said; "although we really don't know what he can do. Unfortunately last year he suffered a dislocated shoulder on which he had surgery. We are not really sure on how Marc will fill in. That is whether he'll be a lead guard or a big guard. We feel he could be a combination of both. No question Marc is an outstanding scorer."

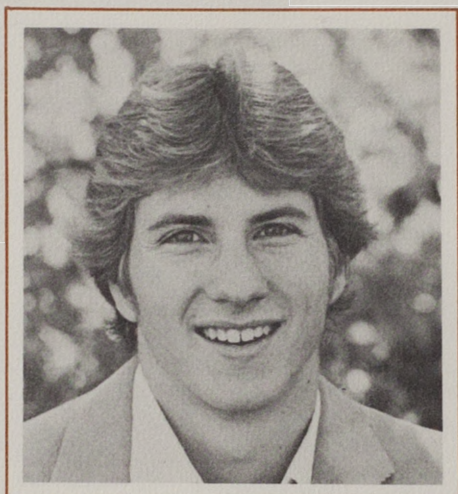
Glass averaged 26 points a game and made 60 percent of his shots at Battle Ground High School. He also lettered in golf four times and cross country once. He was the team captain in basketball in 1978-79, as well as all-state, all-conference, team and league MVP and team captain. His coach was Butch Blue.

He is a Business Administration major.

His father is Earl Glass of Battle Ground and his mother is Joanne Tarmichael of Vancouver, Washington.

His hobbies are water skiing and golf.

Birthdate: November 22, 1960.



32 **Rob Hurley** 6-4½, 200, Forward Freshman from Anaconda, Montana

Mr. Hustle on the Grizzly squad, Rob Hurley was the Montana Class "AA" State Tournament Most Valuable Player at Anaconda High School last season.

He was a three-year starter in basketball, as well as first team all-state, all-district, all-divisional and all-conference as a senior. He was all-conference as a sophomore and junior and an all-state honorable mention pick both seasons.

"Rob is a tough kid," Montgomery said. "He definitely made believers out of us last year when we watched him play in high school and saw his ability to score. He has a great outside shooting touch. He is also a very good passer from the forward position. We think in time Rob will be an outstanding scorer for us."

Hurley averaged 27.3 points, 11.3 rebounds and four assists per game for Anaconda last season. His team was third in the state last year. He shot 52 percent from the field and 76 percent from the free throw line.

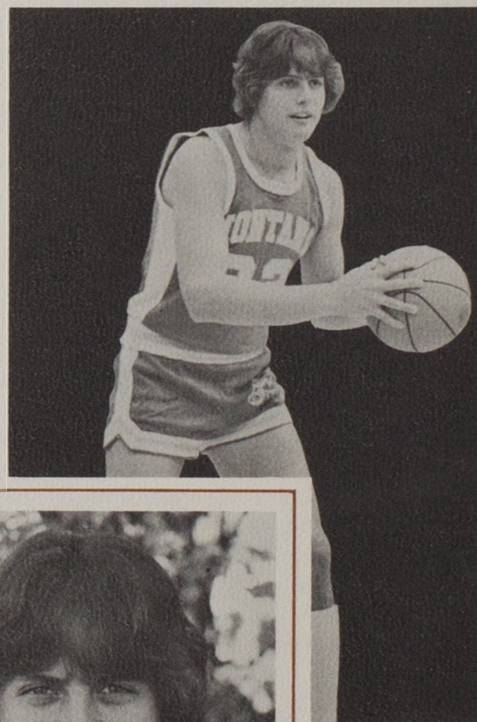
In last year's state tournament he scored 98 points (24.5 average) and grabbed 49 rebounds (12.3 average). His prep coach was John Cheek.

He is a Health, Physical Education major.

His hobbies are fishing and hunting.

His parents are Robert and Dorothy Hurley of Anaconda.

Birthdate: May 16, 1962.



54 Dave Johnson

6-10, 200, Center
Sophomore from Rowland Heights,
California

Dave Johnson averaged 8 rebounds in 11 junior varsity games to lead the team in that category. The JV team finished with a 7-4 record. He averaged seven points a game.

"Dave needs work, we knew that when we recruited him," Montgomery said. "He has all the tools to be an outstanding player. He has good hands, runs the floor extremely well for a guy his size and has good jumping ability. All he is lacking is the experience of playing basketball.

Johnson played in six varsity games, scoring three points. He led the JV team in rebounding three times and had 15 in one game.

His Rowland Heights High School team was undefeated and the Montview League champions two seasons ago. A two-year letterman in high school, Dave averaged 15.7 points and 13 rebounds per game. As a prep he was team MVP, All-San Gabriel Valley and All-Sierra League. His coach was Chris Richey.

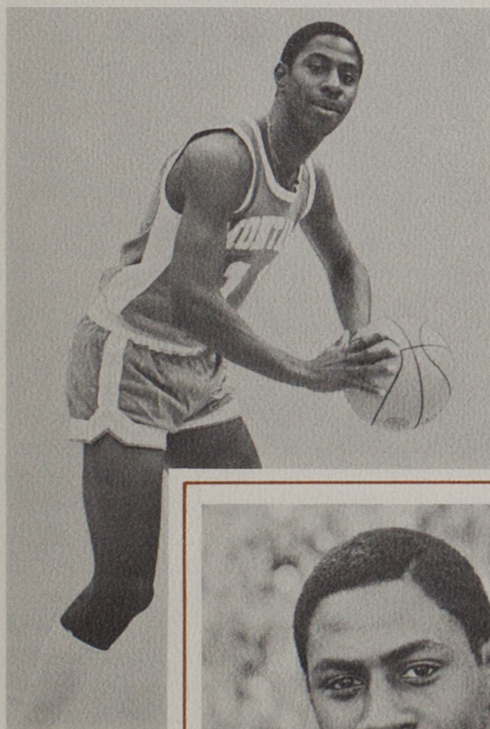
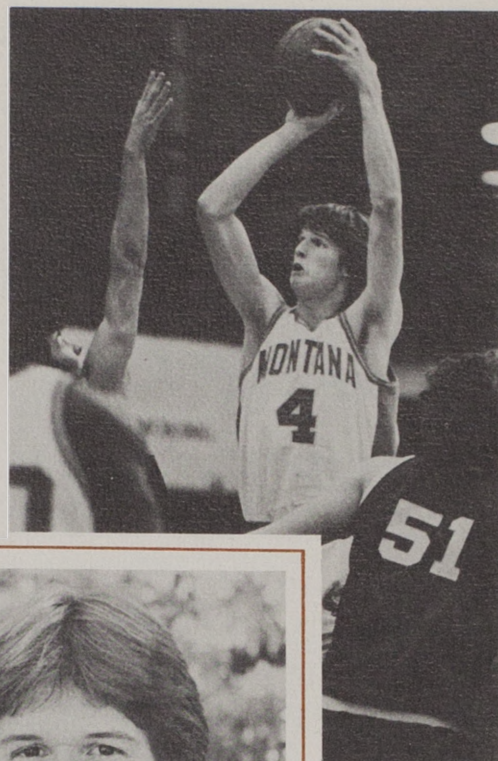
He is a Business Management major.

His hobby is fishing.

Dave's parents are Ralph and Patricia Johnson of Rowland Heights.

Birthdate: January 3, 1961.

Year	G	FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	PF-D	Pts.	Avg.	High
1979-80	6	1-3	.333	1-2	.500	4	0.8	4-0	3	0.6	3



10 Dave "DJ" Johnson

6-4, 170, Guard
Freshman from Los Angeles, California

Considered an excellent lead guard of the future for the Grizzlies, Dave "DJ" Johnson was a second team All-Los Angeles pick while starring for Washington High School.

Not only was Johnson an All-L. A. selection, but he was also a first team all-leaguer, All-Central City and he played for the Watts Magician Basketball Congress International All-Star team. The team played in a national tournament in Tucson, Arizona.

"We recruited Dave because of his excellent passing and ball-handling ability," Montgomery said. "At 6-4 he is a definite lead guard, who is always looking to pass and handle the ball. That's the ingredient we want — someone who can back up Taylor. He has the potential to be an outstanding basketball player in our program."

Johnson averaged 18 points, 10 assists and five rebounds per game as a prep. He made 50 percent of his field goal attempts and 85 percent of his free throw attempts. He was a three-year starter as a prep. His coach was Andy Davis.

A three-year letterman in basketball, he was team captain his senior season.

His major is General Studies.

His hobbies are fishing, skating, dancing, softball and music.

DJ's mother is Bobbie Mamon of Los Angeles.



52 Craig Larsen

6-11, 210, Center
Sophomore from Aurora, Colorado

Craig Larsen is a key member of the Grizzlies this season. Montgomery hopes he can gain a lot of valuable playing time this year and become the big man of the future. He redshirted at UM his freshman season.

Last season Larsen was nagged with injuries through a lot of the early part of the season. This year Montgomery said he hopes Larsen can see a lot of playing time in the middle for UM.

"Craig is probably the key to how good we're going to be," Montgomery said, "even though we have other players capable of playing the center position. At 6-11 he is our biggest player. Most good teams have big players in the middle."

"Unfortunately, a couple of sprained ankles last year really slowed his progress," Montgomery continued. "He has a fine shooting touch for a big man, and is not afraid of combat under the boards. He shouldn't have to carry the load this season because of all the seniors, but he will eventually be our main man."

Larsen was all-state one year and all-conference player twice at Aurora Central High School. He was a two-year letterman in basketball and team captain his senior season. His coach was Byron Bookhart.

His hobbies are fishing and backpacking.

He is a Geology major.

Craig's parents are Ray and Hilda Larsen of Aurora.

Birthdate: April 1, 1960.



Year	G	FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	PF-D	Pts.	Avg.	High
1979-80	8	5-18	.277	11-16	.688	17	1.2	20-1	20	2.5	5

20 Brian Morris

6-7, 175, Guard
Sophomore from Missoula, Montana

Brian "Merc" Morris led the JV team in scoring last season with 140 points (12.7 average) and also played in 11 varsity games.

He led the JV team in scoring in three of its seven wins and had a team-high 19 in one contest. He scored eight points in a Big Sky Conference game against Northern Arizona.

"Brian is probably a harder worker than anyone in our program this past summer," Montgomery said. "He really wants to be a player and works at it all the time. He has an outstanding shooting touch with good range. He could play tall guard or quick forward for us. He needs to get stronger and is working at it."

Morris was an all-state player for Missoula's Sentinel High School his junior and senior seasons. He was the state's leading scorer in "AA" in 1978-79, was a member of the High School Coaches All-American team and the Montana All-Stars that season as well.

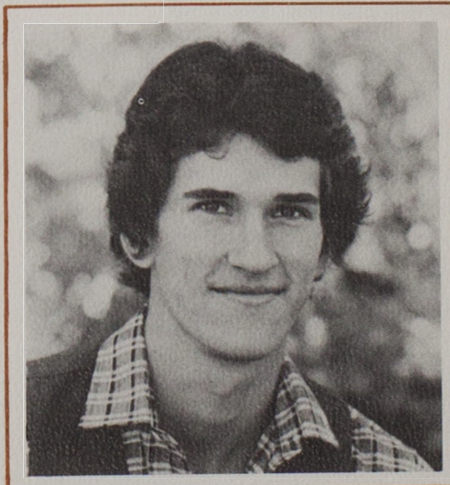
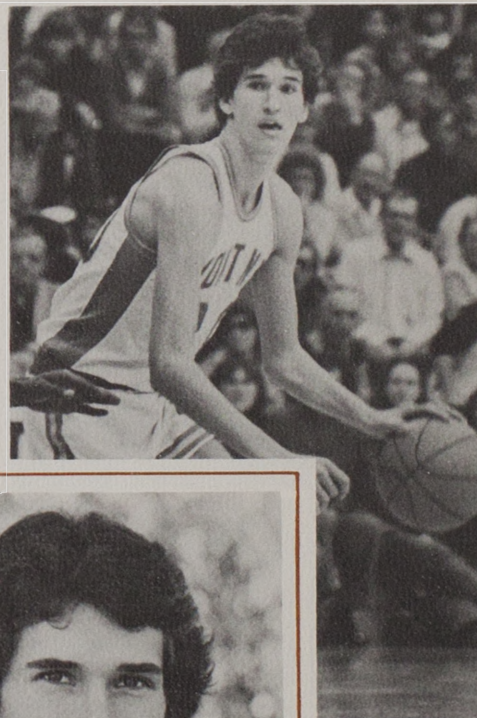
At Sentinel, where he was coached by Bob Luoma, he averaged 19.3 points and 12.7 rebounds per game. He was a three-year letterman for the Spartans and team captain his senior season.

He is a Business Administration major.

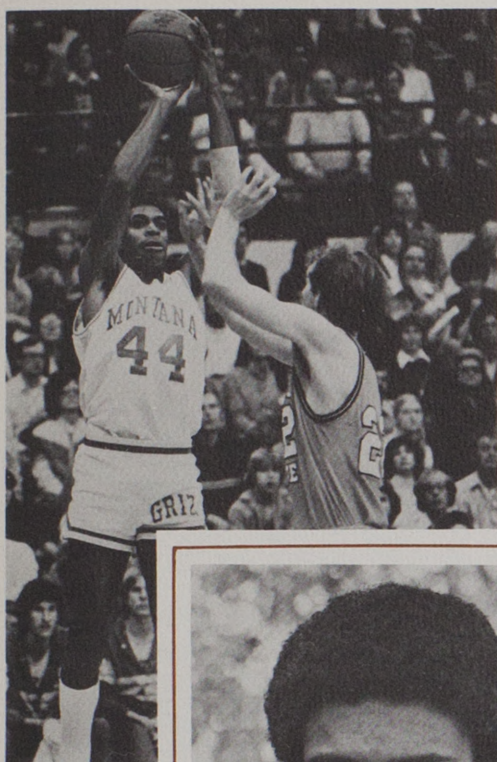
His hobbies are golf, tennis and water skiing.

Brian's parents are Charles and Patricia Morris of Missoula.

Birthdate: May 26, 1961.



Year	G	FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	PF-D	Pts.	Avg.	High
1979-80	11	6-14	.429	6-12	.500	6	0.5	8-0	9	0.8	8



44 Derrick Pope

6-6, 191, Forward
Sophomore from Aurora, Colorado

A Dahlberg Arena crowd-pleaser, Derrick Pope played in 25 of 28 games his first season at Montana. With the talent he displayed last season he is sure to become a Grizzly standout in the near-future.

He was the team's No. 8 scorer with 116 points (4.6 average) and the No. 5 leading rebounder with 93 (3.7). He was third in free throw percentage (.800) and had a team-high 10 rebounds against Northern Arizona.

"Derrick is probably the most explosive player we have in our program," Montgomery said. "Being a year younger, and playing only three years of organized basketball, his potential is unlimited. He is an explosive, quick jumper and has an excellent shooting touch."

"Our major problem is getting Derrick to shoot the ball more," Montgomery said. "He's matured a great deal physically from last year. He will be challenging for a starting position this year, and is a star of the future for the Grizzlies."

"D" was an all-state, all-conference player at Smoky Hill High in Aurora. He led the league in rebounding and blocked shots two seasons ago as a prep, and played organized basketball only his last two years in high school.

He averaged 13 rebounds a game two seasons, and was chosen his school's most improved player twice. His coach was Dick Cozza.

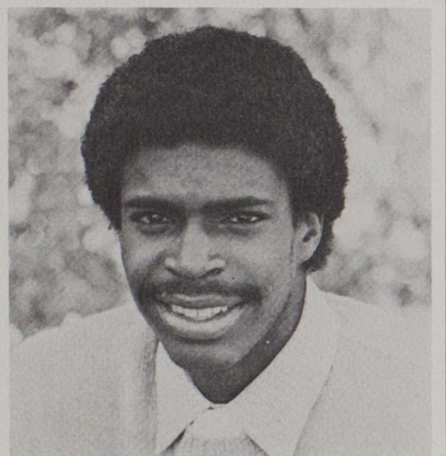
He is a General Studies major.

His hobbies are reading and attending movies.

Derrick's parents are Cesar and Dorothy Pope of Aurora.

Birthdate: October 28, 1961.

Year	G	FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	PF-D	Pts.	Avg.	High
1979-80	25	34-74	.459	48-60	.800	93	3.7	29-0	116	4.6	10



24 Doug Selvig

6-4½, 168, Guard
Freshman from Outlook, Montana

Doug Selvig comes from a long line of basketball talent, including his sister Sandy, who starts for the "Lady Griz" and his brother Robin, a former Grizzly Cup winner at UM, and the coach of the women's team.

Doug has earned plenty of basketball honors on his own. He was the Most Valuable Player in the Class "C" Montana championships for Outlook High School.

As a prep he was first team all-state, all-conference, all-district, all-divisional and his 1980 team was 23-3 and state titlist. His coach was Rollie Sullivan.

"Doug has as many natural basketball skills as anyone in our program," Montgomery said. "At 6-4 he is a legitimate guard, but also has the ability to play quick forward. His biggest attribute is his hands, which is a prerequisite for an outstanding basketball player. He is an outstanding passer with good court vision and timing."

Selvig, who also participated in the Montana-Wyoming All-Star Classic, averaged 22.5 points, 14.2 rebounds and five assists per game his senior season.

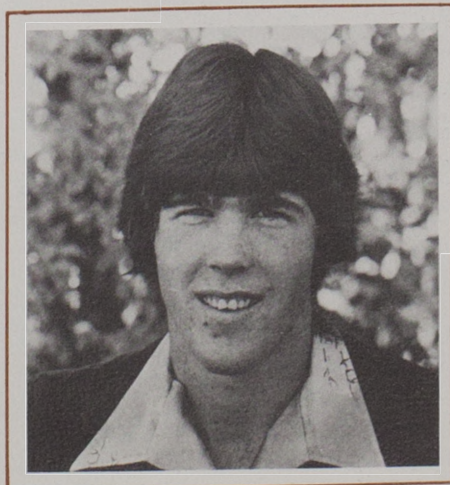
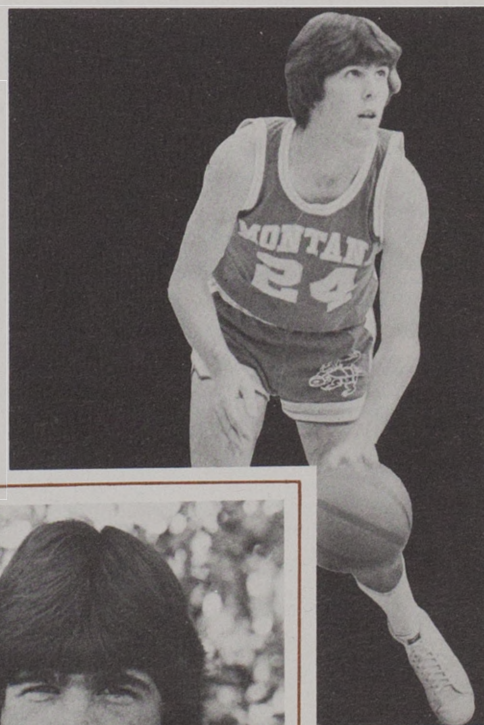
He was a three-year starter and lettered four times as a prep and was all-conference as a junior. His sophomore team at Outlook was also state champion. He was team captain his junior and senior years.

He is a General Studies major.

His hobbies are hunting, fishing and baseball.

Doug's parents are Roald and Agnes Selvig of Outlook.

Birthdate: August 18, 1962.



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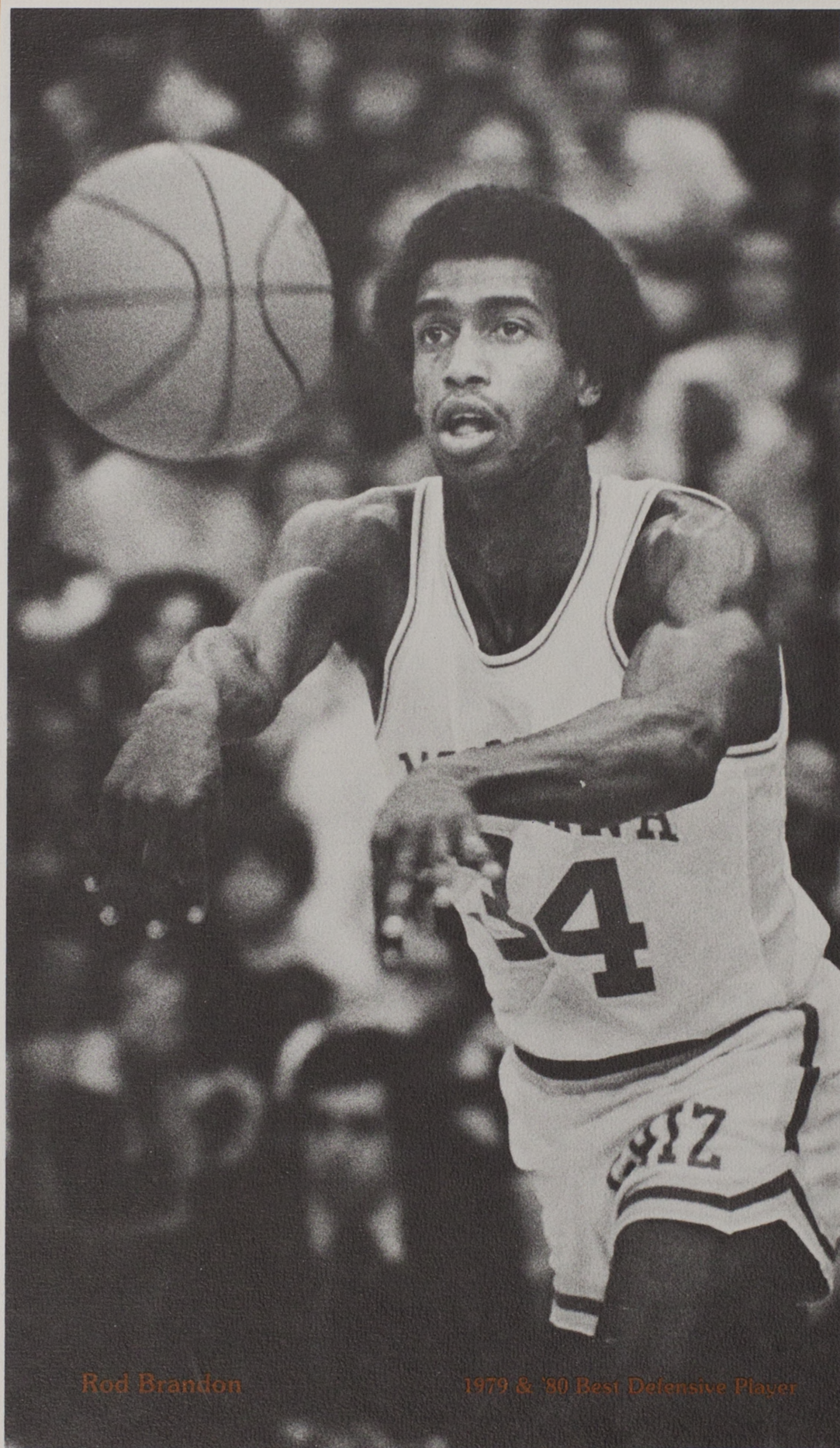


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Marty Green

The Opponents



Rod Brandon

1979 & '80 Best Defensive Player

Nov. 28th in Missoula

Location: Bellingham, Wash.

Nickname: Vikings

Enrollment: 10,500

Colors: Blue/White

Conference: Evergreen (2-8, 6th)

Athletic Director: Boyde Long

SID: Paul Madison (206) 676-3109

Head Coach: Chuck Randall

Career Record: 467-244 (30 yrs.)

1979-80 Record: 11-15

Ret. Lettermen: 3

Ret. Starters: 1

Key Players: Darcy Weisner, 6-3 G; Tim

Sheehan, 6-5 F; Ron Durant, 6-2 G.

Home Court: Sam Carver Gym (4,000)

Series Record: First Meeting

Western Washington



Chuck Randall
Head Coach



Darcy Weisner
Guard

1980-81 Schedule

Nov. 28 at Montana

Nov. 29 at Great Falls

Dec. 2 University of Victoria

Dec. 6 Trinity Western

Dec. 13 at Pacific Lutheran

Dec. 15 at Cal-Irvine

Dec. 17 at Cal-Riverside

Jan. 2 Montana Tech

Jan. 6 Rocky Mountain

Jan. 9 at Eastern Washington

Jan. 10 at Lewis-Clark State

Jan. 12 at Whitworth

Jan. 16 St. Martin's

Jan. 17 at Trinity Western

Jan. 20 Simon Fraser

Jan. 23 at Central Washington

Jan. 24 at Seattle Pacific

Jan. 30 at St. Martin's

Jan. 31 at Puget Sound

Feb. 5 Seattle Pacific

Feb. 7 Central Washington

Feb. 10 at Simon Fraser

Feb. 13 Eastern Washington

Feb. 14 Lewis-Clark State

Feb. 17 Pacific Lutheran

Feb. 19-21 at Evergreen Conference Tournament
(host Oregon College)

Dec. 1st in Missoula

Location: San Jose, Calif.
Nickname: Spartans
Enrollment: 26,500
Colors: Royal Blue/Gold/White
Conference: Pacific Coast AA (7-6, 3rd)
Athletic Director: Dave Adams
SID: Lawrence Fan (408) 277-3296
Head Coach: Bill Berry
Career Record: 17-12 (1 yr.)
1979-80 Record: 17-12
Ret. Lettermen: 8
Ret. Starters: 2
Key Players: Michael Mendez (6-4, F);
Sid Williams (6-7, F);
Doug Murrey (6-5, G-F);
Ed Saunders (6-1, G)
Home Court: San Jose Civic (2,700)
Series Record: UM 3, SJS 3

San Jose State



Bill Berry
Head Coach



Doug Murrey
Guard/Forward

Dec. 3rd in Portland

Location: Portland, Ore.
Nickname: Vikings
Enrollment: 17,250
Colors: Green/White
Conference: 1-AA Independent
Athletic Director: Roy Love
SID: Larry Sellers (503) 229-4400
Head Coach: Glen Kinney
Career Record: 11-42 (2 yrs.)
1979-80 Record: 5-21
Ret. Lettermen: 3
Ret. Starters: 1
Key Players: Dave Hildahl (6-2, G);
Jim Brinkerhoff (6-3½, G);
Randy Dunn (6-5, F)
Home Court: PSU Gym (2,644)
Series Record: UM 10, PSU 6

Portland State



Glen Kinney
Head Coach



Dave Hildahl
Guard

Dec. 6th in Missoula

Location: Tacoma, Wash.
Nickname: Loggers
Enrollment: 3,000
Colors: Green/Gold
Conference: Independent
Athletic Director: Dr. Jack Ecklund
SID: David Lindstrom (206) 756-3140
Head Coach: Don Zech
Career Record: 242-102 (12 yrs.)
1979-80 Record: 21-8
Ret. Lettermen: 9
Ret. Starters: 3
Key Players: Joe Leonard (6-7, F-C);
Eric Brewe (6-6, F);
Todd Burton (6-6, F);
Tim Taylor (6-3, G)
Home Court: Memorial Fieldhouse (5,000)
Series Record: UM 5, UPS 7

Puget Sound



Don Zech
Head Coach



Joe Leonard
Forward

Dec. 10th in Greeley

Location: Greeley, Colorado
Nickname: Bears
Enrollment: 10,800
Colors: Blue/Gold
Conference: North Central (7-7, 4th)
Athletic Director: Joe Lindahl
SID: Tom Barbour (303) 351-2331
Head Coach: Thurm Wright
Career Record: 130-166 (12 yrs.)
1979-80 Record: 11-15
Ret. Lettermen: 6
Ret. Starters: 2
Key Players: Dave Hanson (5-11, G);
Greg Brendel (6-2, G);
Joe Burke (6-5, F)
Home Court: Butler-Hancock Hall (5,500)
Series Record: UM 1, UNC 2

Northern Colorado



Thurm Wright
Head Coach



Greg Brendel
Guard

1980-81 Schedule

Nov. 28 Sonoma State
Dec. 1 at Montana
Dec. 3 at Portland
Dec. 6 South Dakota State
Dec. 9 Sacramento State
Dec. 11 at Idaho
Dec. 13 at Idaho State
Dec. 20 Northern Arizona
Dec. 22 Duquesne
Dec. 28 UC-Riverside
Jan. 3 at Nevada-Reno
Jan. 5 at Loyola-Marymount
Jan. 10 Athletes in Action (Exb.)
Jan. 15 Pacific
Jan. 17 Fresno State
Jan. 22 at Cal State-Fullerton
Jan. 24 at UC-Santa Barbara
Jan. 29 Utah State
Jan. 31 at Utah State
Feb. 5 at UC-Irvine
Feb. 7 at Cal State-Long Beach
Feb. 12 Cal State-Long Beach
Feb. 14 UC-Irvine
Feb. 19 UC-Santa Barbara
Feb. 21 Cal State-Fullerton
Feb. 28 at Fresno State
Feb. 28 at Pacific

1980-81 Schedule

Nov. 29 at Fresno State
Dec. 1 at Cal State-Fullerton
Dec. 3 Montana
Dec. 8 Oregon State
Dec. 11 Portland
Dec. 14 Boise State
Dec. 15 Cal State-Fullerton
Dec. 19-20 Raindrop Classic
Dec. 29 U of Pacific
Jan. 2 at Cal-Santa Barbara
Jan. 3 at Cal-Irvine
Jan. 6 at St. Mary's
Jan. 10 Utah State
Jan. 12 Gonzaga
Jan. 17 at Puget Sound
Jan. 19 Westmont College
Jan. 22 Simon Fraser
Jan. 27 at Arkansas-Little Rock
Jan. 29 at Centenary
Jan. 31 at Northwestern Louisiana
Feb. 7 at U.S. International
Feb. 9 Alaska-Anchorage
Feb. 11 at Boise State
Feb. 17 at Air Force
Feb. 19 at Valparaiso
Feb. 24 U.S. International
Feb. 28 at Seattle Pacific

1980-81 Schedule

Nov. 29 Chungang University, Korea
Dec. 4 at Boise State
Dec. 6 at Montana
Dec. 8 S.W. Missouri State
Dec. 10 Cal State-Sonoma
Dec. 13 Cal State-Bakersfield
Dec. 16 Point Loma College
Dec. 20 North Dakota State University
Dec. 29-30 TAC-UPS Holiday Classic
Jan. 3 at Cal-Santa Barbara
Jan. 5 at Chapman College
Jan. 8 Trinity College
Jan. 13 at St. Martins College
Jan. 17 Portland State
Jan. 19 Seattle University
Jan. 24 Eastern Washington
Jan. 27 at Central Washington
Jan. 31 Western Washington
Feb. 3 at Eastern Montana
Feb. 5 Eastern Washington
Feb. 11 Seattle Pacific
Feb. 14 Central Washington
Feb. 17 at Seattle University
Feb. 21 Eastern Montana
Feb. 23 St. Martins College
Feb. 26 at Seattle Pacific
Feb. 28 Athletes-In-Action

1980-81 Schedule

Nov. 28 at Denver
Nov. 29 Adams State College
Dec. 6 Southern Colorado
Dec. 8 Denver
Dec. 10 Montana
Dec. 13 at Colorado State
Dec. 15 at Southern Colorado
Dec. 27-29 at North Central Conference
Holiday Tournament
Jan. 9 Augustana College
Jan. 10 South Dakota State
Jan. 16 at North Dakota
Jan. 17 at North Dakota State
Jan. 22 Morningside College
Jan. 24 South Dakota
Jan. 30 Nebraska-Omaha
Jan. 31 at Nebraska-Omaha
Feb. 6 at Augustana College
Feb. 7 at South Dakota State
Feb. 13 North Dakota
Feb. 14 North Dakota State
Feb. 20 at Morningside College
Feb. 21 at South Dakota

Dec. 13th in Missoula

Location: Chico, Calif.
Nickname: Wildcats
Enrollment: 13,500
Colors: Red & White
Conference: Far Western
Athletic Director: Dick Marshall
SID: Tony Bord (916) 895-5332
Head Coach: Pete Mathiesen
Career Record: 135-141 (10 yrs.)
1979-80 Record: 12-15
Ret. Lettermen: 3
Ret. Starters: 1
Key Players: Chico White (5-11, G);
 Bob Brian (6-3, G)
Home Court: Acker Gym (3,000)
Series Record: First Meeting

Chico State



Pete Mathiesen
Head Coach



Chico White
Guard

1980-81 Schedule

Nov. 29 at University of Oregon
 Dec. 6 Northwest Christian
 Dec. 11 at Eastern Montana
 Dec. 12 at Montana State
Dec. 13 at Montana
 Dec. 16 Southern Oregon State
 Dec. 19 Oregon Tech
 Dec. 20 Columbia Christian
 Dec. 28-30 Chico Invitational Tournament
 Jan. 3 at Fresno Pacific
 Jan. 6 College of Notre Dame
 Jan. 10 Humboldt State
 Jan. 16 Sonoma State
 Jan. 17 Cal State-Sacramento
 Jan. 23 at Cal State-Hayward
 Jan. 24 at San Francisco State
 Jan. 30 Cal State-Stanislaus
 Jan. 31 U.C. Davis
 Feb. 7 at Humboldt State
 Feb. 13 at Cal State-Sacramento
 Feb. 14 at Sonoma State
 Feb. 20 San Francisco State
 Feb. 21 Cal State-Hayward
 Feb. 27 at U.C. Davis
 Feb. 28 at Cal State-Stanislaus

Dec. 15th in Missoula

Location: Cheney, Wash.
Nickname: Eagles
Enrollment: 8,000
Colors: Red/White
Conference: Independent (Div. II)
Athletic Director: Ron Raver
SID: Jim Price (509) 359-2351
Head Coach: Jerry Krause
Career Record: 347-199 (19 yrs.)
1979-80 Record: 18-12
Ret. Lettermen: 6
Ret. Starters: 4
Key Players: George Abrams (6-3, G);
 Dave Henley (6-2, G);
 Mike Cranston (6-7, C)
Home Court: Reese Court (5,500)
Series Record: First Meeting

Eastern Washington



Jerry Krause
Head Coach



George Abrams
Guard

1980-81 Schedule

Nov. 28 Whitworth College
 Nov. 29 Carroll College
 Dec. 5 at Seattle Pacific
 Dec. 6 Western Montana
 Dec. 12 at Eastern Montana
 Dec. 13 at Carroll College
Dec. 15 at Montana
 Dec. 28-29-30 at Chico State Tournament
 Jan. 5 at Gonzaga
 Jan. 9 Western Washington
 Jan. 10 Eastern Montana
 Jan. 13 Boise State
 Jan. 16 at Pacific Lutheran
 Jan. 17 at Central Washington
 Jan. 23 at St. Martins
 Jan. 24 at Puget Sound
 Jan. 29 Seattle Pacific
 Jan. 31 Central Washington
 Feb. 5 Puget Sound
 Feb. 7 St. Martins
 Feb. 13 at Western Washington
 Feb. 14 at Simon Fraser
 Feb. 17 Lewis and Clark State
 Feb. 20 at Whitworth College
 Feb. 22 Simon Fraser

Dec. 19-20 in Missoula

Location: Orono, Maine
Nickname: Black Bears
Enrollment: 11,000
Colors: Blue/White
Conference: ECAC/North
Athletic Director: Harold Westerman
SID: Bob Creteau (207) 581-7376
Head Coach: Skip Chappelle
Career Record: 126-99 (9 yrs.)
1979-80 Record: 15-13
Ret. Lettermen: 5
Ret. Starters: 3
Key Players: Rick Carisle (6-4, G);
 Jim Mercer (6-2, G);
 Dave Wyman (6-6, F)
Home Court: Memorial Gym (2,300)
Series Record: First Meeting

University of Maine



Skip Chappelle
Head Coach



Jim Mercer
Guard

1980-81 Schedule

Nov. 28 Texas A&M
 Dec. 3 East Carolina
 Dec. 6 Siena
 Dec. 9 New Hampshire
 Dec. 11 at Connecticut
Dec. 19-20 at Champion Classic
 Dec. 26-27 at Pro-Specs Classic
 Dec. 30 at Kentucky
 Jan. 2 Eastern Kentucky
 Jan. 6 DePaul
 Jan. 12 Towson State
 Jan. 16 Tennessee State
 Jan. 23 at Vermont
 Jan. 24 at Vermont
 Jan. 28 St. Michaels
 Jan. 31 Drexel
 Feb. 3 Boston University
 Feb. 7 Villanova
 Feb. 9 at New Hampshire
 Feb. 14 at UNC/Wilmington
 Feb. 16 at Fairleigh Dickinson
 Feb. 21 Marist
 Feb. 25 at Temple
 Feb. 27 Delaware State

Dec. 19-20 in Missoula

Location: Spokane, Wash.
Nickname: Bulldogs
Enrollment: 3,500
Colors: Blue/White
Conference: West Coast A.C. (10-6, 2nd, tie)
Athletic Director: Dan Fitzgerald
SID: Bud Nameck (509) 328-4220
Head Coach: Dan Fitzgerald
Career Record: 32-21 (2 yrs.)
1979-80 Record: 16-11
Ret. Lettermen: 8
Ret. Starters: 2
Key Players: Don Baldwin, (6-2 G);
 Ed Taylor, (6-4 G-F);
 Hugh Hobus (6-8, F-C)
Home Court: Kennedy Pavilion (4,500)
Series Record: UM 86, GU 53

Gonzaga University



Dan Fitzgerald
Head Coach



Ed Taylor
Guard/Forward

1980-81 Schedule

Nov. 15 Athletes-in-Action
 Nov. 28 Carroll College
 Dec. 1 at DePaul
 Dec. 6 Idaho University
 Dec. 9 at Weber State
 Dec. 13 at Washington State
Dec. 19-20 at Champion Tournament
 Dec. 23 Central Washington University
 Jan. 2 Whitworth College
 Jan. 5 Eastern Washington University
 Jan. 7 Lewis and Clark State
 Jan. 12 at Portland State
 Jan. 16 at University of San Francisco
 Jan. 17 at St. Mary's College
 Jan. 22 Pepperdine University
 Jan. 24 Loyola University
 Jan. 29 at Santa Clara
 Jan. 31 at UC San Diego
 Feb. 3 Western Montana College
 Feb. 7 at Portland
 Feb. 12 Santa Clara
 Feb. 14 UC San Diego
 Feb. 20 at Loyola
 Feb. 21 at Pepperdine
 Feb. 26 St. Mary's College
 Feb. 28 University of San Francisco
 Mar. 7 University of Portland

Dec. 19-20 in Missoula

Location: Murray, Kentucky
Nickname: Racers
Enrollment: 8,200
Colors: Blue/Gold
Conference: Ohio Valley (10-1, 1st, tie)
Athletic Director: Johnny Reagan
SID: Doug Vance (502) 762-4270
Head Coach: Ron Greene
Career Record: 215-128 (12 yrs.)
1979-80 Record: 23-8
Ret. Lettermen: 7
Ret. Starters: 4
Key Players: Mont Slets (5-10, G);
Glen Green (6-6, F);
Kenney Hammonds (6-5, F);
Jerry Smith (6-4, G)
Home Court: Racer Arena (5,550)
Series Record: First Meeting

Murray State

Dec. 23rd in Lincoln, Nebraska

Location: Lincoln, Neb.
Nickname: Cornhuskers
Enrollment: 22,400
Colors: Scarlet/Cream
Conference: Big 8 (8-6, 2nd, tie)
Athletic Director: Bob Devaney
SID: Don Bryant (402) 472-2263
Head Coach: Joe Cipriano
Career Record: 297-231 (20 yrs.)
1979-80 Record: 18-13
Ret. Lettermen: 11
Ret. Starters: 5
Key Players: Andre Smith (6-7, C);
Jack Moore (5-9, G);
Tim West (6-4, F);
Mike Naderer (6-3, G);
Ray Collins (6-2, F)
Home Court: Bob Devaney Sport Center
(14,438)
Series Record: UM 0, NU 1

University of Nebraska

Dec. 29-30 in Billings

Location: College Station, Texas
Nickname: Aggies
Enrollment: 32,000
Colors: Maroon/White
Conference: Southwest (14-2, 1st)
Athletic Director: Marvin Tate
SID: Spec Gammon (713) 845-5725
Head Coach: Shelby Metcalf
Career Record: 274-179 (17 yrs.)
1979-80 Record: 26-8
Ret. Lettermen: 10
Ret. Starters: 3
Key Players: Rudy Woods (6-11, C);
Rynn Wright (6-6, F);
Vernon Smith (6-8, F)
Home Court: G. Rolie White (7,500)
Series Record: First Meeting

Texas A&M

Dec. 29-30 in Billings

Location: Irvine, California
Nickname: Anteaters
Enrollment: 10,100
Colors: Blue/Gold
Conference: Pacific Coast AA (1-12, last)
Athletic Director: Linda B. Dempsay
SID: Ron Halvaks (714) 833-5814
Head Coach: Bill Mulligan
Career Record: First Year
1979-80 Record: 7-20
Ret. Lettermen: 4
Ret. Starters: 3
Key Players: Robbie Beal (6-6, G);
Louis Bremond (6-0, G);
Quentin Brown (6-6);
Kevin Magee (6-8, C);
Grant Taylor (6-8, F)
Home Court: Crawford Hall (1,500)
Series Record: First Meeting

Cal-State Irvine



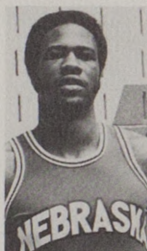
Ron Greene
Head Coach



Mont Slets
Guard



Joe Cipriano
Head Coach



Andre Smith
Center



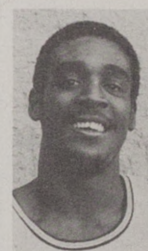
Shelby Metcalf
Head Coach



Vernon Smith
Forward



Bill Mulligan
Head Coach



Kevin Magee
Forward

Champion Holiday Classic

1980-81 Schedule

Nov. 22 England Nationalists
Dec. 1 at Indiana
Dec. 3 Quincy
Dec. 4 Wisconsin-Parkside
Dec. 8 at Northeast Louisiana
Dec. 10 at Arkansas State
Dec. 19-20 at Champion Classic
Jan. 3 Southeastern Louisiana
Jan. 5 at Towson State
Jan. 8 at Morehead State
Jan. 10 at Eastern Kentucky
Jan. 15 Western Kentucky
Jan. 17 Middle Tennessee
Jan. 22 Austin Peay
Jan. 24 Tennessee Tech
Jan. 29 at Akron
Jan. 31 at Tennessee Tech
Feb. 2 Memphis State
Feb. 5 Morehead State
Feb. 7 Eastern Kentucky
Feb. 9 at Tennessee-Martin
Feb. 12 at Middle Tennessee
Feb. 14 at Western Kentucky
Feb. 19 at Austin Peay
Feb. 21 Akron

1980-81 Schedule

Nov. 28 Wyoming
Nov. 29 Idaho
Dec. 6 at Creighton University
Dec. 9 Penn State
Dec. 12-13 at Utah Classic Tournament
Dec. 20 Northwest Missouri State
Dec. 22 Colorado State
Dec. 23 University of Montana
Dec. 27 at Ball State
Dec. 30 at Arkansas
Jan. 5 Cal State-Sonoma
Jan. 14 Kansas State
Jan. 17 at Oklahoma State
Jan. 21 Colorado
Jan. 24 Missouri
Jan. 28 at Iowa State
Jan. 31 Kansas
Feb. 4 at Oklahoma
Feb. 7 Oklahoma State
Feb. 11 at Colorado
Feb. 14 at Kansas State
Feb. 18 Iowa State
Feb. 21 at Missouri
Feb. 25 at Kansas
Feb. 28 University of Oklahoma

KOA Tournament

1980-81 Schedule

Nov. 22 Windsor Basketball Club
Nov. 28 at Maine
Dec. 2 Texas Southern
Dec. 8 Sam Houston State
Dec. 12-13 at First Union Inv.
Dec. 19-20 at Virginia Tech Inv.
Dec. 29-30 at KOA Classic
Jan. 3 at T.C.U.
Jan. 6 at Baylor
Jan. 10 at Texas Tech
Jan. 17 S.M.U.
Jan. 20 Rice
Jan. 24 at Arkansas
Jan. 26 Texas
Jan. 28 at Houston
Jan. 31 Baylor
Feb. 7 Texas Tech
Feb. 10 at S.M.U.
Feb. 14 at Rice
Feb. 17 Arkansas
Feb. 21 at Texas
Feb. 22 at L.S.U.
Feb. 24 at T.C.U.
Feb. 28 Houston

KOA Tournament

1980-81 Schedule

Nov. 29 Virginia Military Institute (VMI)
Dec. 6 at Nevada-Las Vegas
Dec. 11 Univ. of Illinois-Chicago Circle
Dec. 13 at Stanford
Dec. 15 Western Washington
Dec. 19-20 at Golden Gate Classic
Dec. 22 Univ. of Missouri-Kansas City
Dec. 29-30 at KOA Classic
Jan. 3 Portland State University
Jan. 10 Univ. of San Diego
Jan. 15 Cal State-Fullerton
Jan. 17 UC-Santa Barbara
Jan. 22 at Pacific
Jan. 24 at Fresno State University
Jan. 29 at Cal State-Long Beach
Jan. 31 Cal State Long Beach
Feb. 5 San Jose State University
Feb. 7 Utah State University
Feb. 12 at Utah State University
Feb. 14 at San Jose State University
Feb. 19 Fresno State University
Feb. 21 Univ. of the Pacific
Feb. 26 at UC-Santa Barbara
Feb. 28 at Cal-Fullerton

Dec. 29-30 in Billings

Location: Billings, Montana
Nickname: Yellowjackets
Enrollment: 3,600
Colors: Black/Gold
Conference: Frontier (12-0, 1st)
Athletic Director: Woody Hahn
SID: News Media Services (406) 657-2268
Head Coach: Dick Edwards
Career Record: 283-175 (25 yrs.)
1979-80 Record: 23-8
Ret. Lettermen: 8
Ret. Starters: 2
Key Players: Bart Bauer (6-4, G);
Russell Murray (6-4, G-F);
Mike Cobb (6-9, C);
Michael White (6-2, G)
Home Court: PE Building (4,500)
Series Record: UM 1, EM 1

Eastern Montana

Jan. 9th in Missoula/
Feb. 7th in Reno

Location: Reno, Nevada
Nickname: Wolf Pack
Enrollment: 10,000
Colors: Silver/Blue
Conference: Big Sky (5-9, 5th, tie)
Athletic Director: Dick Trachok
SID: Tom Johnson (702) 784-4878
Head Coach: Sonny Allen
Career Record: 242-170 (15 yrs.)
1979-80 Record: 10-19
Ret. Lettermen: 3
Ret. Starters: 2
Key Players: Robert Martin (6-5, F);
Eddie Johnson (6-6, F);
Rovan Turner (6-0, G)
Home Court: Centennial Coliseum (5,600)
Series Record: UM 1, Reno 1

Nevada- Reno

Jan. 10th in Missoula/
Feb. 5th in Flagstaff

Location: Flagstaff, Arizona
Nickname: Lumberjacks
Enrollment: 12,000
Colors: Blue/Gold
Conference: Big Sky (5-9, tie, 5th)
Athletic Director: Hank Anderson
SID: Wylie Smith (602) 523-5353
Head Coach: Joedy Gardner
Career Record: 86-79 (6 yrs.)
1979-80 Record: 14-12
Ret. Lettermen: 9
Ret. Starters: 3
Key Players: Willie Young (6-5, G-F);
Joedy P. Gardner (6-5, G);
Ray Murdock (6-5, F);
Mike Evans (6-9, C);
Rick Rodriguez (6-6, F)
Home Court: Walkup Skydome (15,400)
Series Record: UM 15, NAU 6

Northern Arizona

Jan. 16th in Ogden/
Feb. 14th in Missoula

Location: Ogden, Utah
Nickname: Wildcats
Enrollment: 10,311
Colors: Purple/White
Conference: Big Sky (13-1, 1st)
Athletic Director: Gary Crompton
SID: Brad Larsen (801) 626-6010
Head Coach: Neil McCarthy
Career Record: 116-48 (5½ yrs.)
1979-80 Record: 26-3
Ret. Lettermen: 4
Ret. Starters: 0
Key Players: Gerald Mattinson (6-6, F);
Todd Harper (6-4, G-F);
Steve Condie (6-8, F);
Royal Edwards (6-6, F)
Home Court: Dee Events Center (12,000)
Series Record: UM 15, WSC 27

Weber State



Dick Edwards
Head Coach



Bart Bauer
Guard



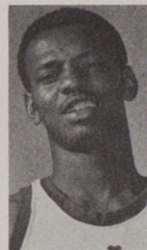
Sonny Allen
Head Coach



Eddie Johnson
Forward



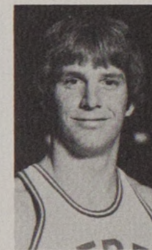
Joedy Gardner
Head Coach



Willie Young
Guard/Forward



Neil McCarthy
Head Coach



Todd Harper
Guard/Forward

KOA Tournament

1980-81 Schedule

Nov. 28 Augsburg College
Nov. 29 St. Cloud State
Dec. 3 Washington State
Dec. 6 at Northern Montana
Dec. 8 at Portland
Dec. 11 Chico State
Dec. 12 Eastern Washington University
Dec. 16 at Cal. State-Hayward
Dec. 18 at Pacific
Dec. 20 at Cal. State-Sacramento
Dec. 29-30 at KOA Classic
Jan. 8 at Western Montana
Jan. 10 at Eastern Washington
Jan. 14 Rocky Mountain
Jan. 19 Carroll College
Jan. 23 Northern Montana
Jan. 24 Great Falls
Jan. 30 Western Montana
Jan. 31 Seattle Pacific
Feb. 3 Puget Sound
Feb. 5 at Carroll College
Feb. 10 at Rocky Mountain College
Feb. 12 at Great Falls
Feb. 19 at Seattle Pacific
Feb. 21 at Puget Sound
Feb. 24 Rocky Mountain College

1980-81 Schedule

Nov. 5 Athletics in Action
Nov. 29 Kansas
Dec. 1 Mankato State
Dec. 2 Humboldt State
Dec. 4 at Pacific
Dec. 9 at Iowa
Dec. 15 at Santa Clara
Dec. 17-18 Wolf Pack Classic
Dec. 20 at Cal-Berkeley
Dec. 23 Houston
Jan. 2 Oregon Tech
Jan. 3 San Jose State
Jan. 9 at Montana
Jan. 10 at Montana State
Jan. 15 Idaho
Jan. 17 Northern Arizona
Jan. 22 Weber State
Jan. 24 Idaho State
Jan. 29 at Idaho
Jan. 31 at Boise State
Feb. 5 Montana State
Feb. 7 Montana
Feb. 14 at Northern Arizona
Feb. 20 at Idaho State
Feb. 21 at Weber State
Feb. 23 Boise State

1980-81 Schedule

Nov. 28 Doane College
Nov. 29 Azusa-Pacific
Dec. 1 US International
Dec. 3 Pepperdine University
Dec. 8 Colorado Mines
Dec. 11 San Diego State
Dec. 18 Southern Utah State
Dec. 20 at San Jose State
Dec. 22 at University of San Diego
Dec. 23 at Cal-Santa Barbara
Jan. 3 St. Marys (Calif.)
Jan. 9 at Montana State
Jan. 10 at Montana
Jan. 17 Nevada-Reno
Jan. 22 Idaho State
Jan. 24 Weber State
Jan. 29 Boise State
Jan. 31 at Idaho
Feb. 5 Montana
Feb. 7 Montana State
Feb. 14 at Nevada-Reno
Feb. 20 at Weber State
Feb. 21 at Idaho State
Feb. 26 Idaho
Feb. 28 Boise State

1980-81 Schedule

Nov. 22 Simon Fraser (Exhibition)
Nov. 28-89 at Lapchick Memorial Tournament
Dec. 1 at Rhode Island
Dec. 4 Utah State
Dec. 6 at Utah
Dec. 9 Gonzaga University
Dec. 10 Grand Canyon College
Dec. 12 U.S. International
Dec. 20 McNeese State
Dec. 23 Brigham Young
Jan. 3 at Utah State
Jan. 5 Long Beach State
Jan. 8 at Idaho
Jan. 10 at Boise State
Jan. 16 Montana
Jan. 17 Montana State University
Jan. 22 at Nevada-Reno
Jan. 24 at Northern Arizona
Jan. 31 at Idaho State
Feb. 6 Boise State
Feb. 7 Idaho
Feb. 13 at Montana State
Feb. 14 at Montana
Feb. 20 Northern Arizona
Feb. 21 Nevada-Reno
Feb. 28 Idaho State

Jan. 17th in Pocatello/
Feb. 13th in Missoula

Location: Pocatello, Idaho
Nickname: Bengals
Enrollment: 11,000
Colors: Orange/Black
Conference: Big Sky (5-9, 5th, tie)
Athletic Director: I. I. "Babe" Cacia
SID: Glenn Alford (208) 236-2771
Head Coach: Lynn Archibald
Career Record: 39-40 (3 yrs.)
1979-80 Record: 9-17
Ret. Lettermen: 4
Ret. Starters: 1
Key Players: Dale Wilkinson, 6-10½ F; Chris Owen, 6-8 C;
Robert Tate, 6-4½ G; Dwain Cleary, 7-2 C.
Home Court: ISU Minidome (7,938)
Series Record: UM 42, ISU 26

Idaho State

Jan. 23rd in Missoula/
Feb. 21st in Moscow

Location: Moscow, ID
Nickname: Vandals
Enrollment: 8,000
Colors: Silver/Gold
Conference: Big Sky (9-5, 2nd)
Athletic Director: Bill Belknap
SID: Dave Kellogg (208) 885-7065
Head Coach: Don Monson
Career Record: 28-25 (2 yrs.)
1979-80 Record: 17-10
Ret. Lettermen: 10
Ret. Starters: 4
Key Players: Gordie Herbert, 6-5 F; Phil Hopson, 6-5 F;
Ron Maben, 6-5 F; Brian Kellerman, 6-3 G.
Home Court: Kibbie-ASUI Dome (7,500)
Series Record: UM 44, UI 65

University of Idaho

Jan. 24th in Missoula/
Feb. 19th in Boise

Location: Boise, Idaho
Nickname: Broncos
Enrollment: 11,600
Colors: Blue/Orange
Conference: Big Sky (4-10, 8th)
Athletic Director: Lyle Smith
SID: Bob Rosenthal (208) 358-1515
Head Coach: Dave Leach
Career Record: First Year
1979-80 Record: 10-16
Ret. Lettermen: 6
Ret. Starters: 3
Key Players: Matt Wilkerson, 6-8 F; Rodger Bates, 6-3 G;
Larry McKinney, 6-10 C; Derek Anderson, 6-6 F.
Home Court: Bronco Gym (3,672)
Series Record: UM 11, BSU 11

Boise State

Jan. 31st in Bozeman/
Feb. 28th in Missoula

Location: Bozeman, Montana
Nickname: Bobcats
Enrollment: 10,100
Colors: Blue/Gold
Conference: Big Sky (7-7, 4th)
Athletic Director: Tom Parac
SID: Bruce Parker (406) 994-2721
Head Coach: Bruce Haroldson
Career Record: 114-55 (6 yrs.)
1979-80 Record: 14-12
Ret. Lettermen: 7
Ret. Starters: 3
Key Players: Doug Hashley, 6-7 F; Bill Kreiger, 6-11 C;
Harry Heineken, 6-5 G; Orlando Bryant, 6-9 F.
Home Court: Breeden Fieldhouse (10,000)
Series Record: UM 91, MSU 117

Montana State



Lynn Archibald
Head Coach



Dale Wilkinson
Forward



Don Monson
Head Coach



Ron Maben
Forward



Dave Leach
Head Coach



Matt Wilkerson
Forward



Bruce Haroldson
Head Coach



Doug Hashley
Forward

1980-81 Schedule

Nov. 28 Southern California
Nov. 29 St. Martins
Dec. 1 at Long Beach State
Dec. 4 at San Diego State
Dec. 10 Colorado State
Dec. 13 San Jose State
Dec. 19-20 at Kentucky Tourney
Dec. 23 at St. Mary's (CA)
Dec. 30 Utah State
Jan. 2 Rocky Mountain
Jan. 9 at Boise State
Jan. 10 at Idaho
Jan. 16 Montana State
Jan. 17 Montana
Jan. 22 at Northern Arizona
Jan. 24 at Nevada-Reno
Jan. 31 Weber State
Feb. 6 Idaho
Feb. 7 Boise State
Feb. 13 at Montana
Feb. 14 at Montana State
Feb. 20 Nevada-Reno
Feb. 21 Northern Arizona
Feb. 28 at Weber State

1980-81 Schedule

Nov. 14 Athletes in Action-Canada
Nov. 29 at Nebraska
Dec. 1 at Washington State
Dec. 5 Simon Fraser
Dec. 6 at Gonzaga University
Dec. 8 U.S. International
Dec. 11 San Jose State
Dec. 13 St. Martin's College
Dec. 18 University of Wisconsin
Dec. 20 Northwest Nazarene
Dec. 27-30 at Oklahoma City Tourney
Jan. 8 Weber State
Jan. 10 Idaho State
Jan. 15 at Nevada-Reno
Jan. 17 at Boise State
Jan. 23 at Montana
Jan. 24 at Montana State
Jan. 29 Nevada-Reno
Jan. 31 Northern Arizona
Feb. 6 at Idaho State
Feb. 7 at Weber State
Feb. 14 Boise State
Feb. 19 Montana State
Feb. 21 Montana
Feb. 26 at Northern Arizona

1980-81 Schedule

Nov. 20 Athletes in Action-Canada
Nov. 29 Santa Clara
Dec. 4 University of Puget Sound
Dec. 6 Fresno State
Dec. 9 College of Great Falls
Dec. 11 University of Wyoming
Dec. 13 at Oregon
Dec. 14 at Portland State
Dec. 20 at Pacific
Dec. 22 at Cal Poly-SLO
Jan. 3 Lewis-Clark St.
Jan. 8 Idaho State
Jan. 10 Weber State
Jan. 13 at Eastern Washington
Jan. 17 Idaho
Jan. 23 at Montana State
Jan. 24 at Montana
Jan. 29 Northern Arizona
Jan. 31 Nevada-Reno
Feb. 6 at Weber State
Feb. 7 at Idaho State
Feb. 11 Portland State
Feb. 14 at Idaho
Feb. 19 Montana
Feb. 21 Montana State
Feb. 23 at Nevada-Reno
Feb. 28 at Northern Arizona

1980-81 Schedule

Nov. 22 Athletes in Action-Canada
Nov. 28 St. Cloud State University
Nov. 29 Bemidji State University
Dec. 1 at Valparaiso University
Dec. 2 University of Notre Dame
Dec. 5-6 at Sun Devil Classic
Dec. 10 at Washington State
Dec. 12 Cal State-Chico
Dec. 13 Central Washington
Dec. 19-20 at Raindrop Classic
Jan. 2 Mayville State
Jan. 9 Northern Arizona
Jan. 10 Nevada-Reno
Jan. 16 at Idaho State
Jan. 17 at Weber State
Jan. 23 Boise State
Jan. 24 Idaho
Jan. 31 Montana
Feb. 5 at Nevada-Reno
Feb. 7 at Northern Arizona
Feb. 13 Weber State
Feb. 14 Idaho State
Feb. 19 at Idaho
Feb. 21 at University
Feb. 28 at Montana

Big Sky Conference

The Big Sky Conference was formed in February, 1963, when the presidents and athletic directors of six Rocky Mountain universities met in Spokane. The original conference members were Gonzaga, Idaho, Idaho State, Montana, Montana State and Weber.

The conference derived its name from a pair of Montanans and a Washington sports editor. A.B. Guthrie, Great Falls, Montana, wrote a novel entitled "The Big Sky" and Jack Hallowell, former Montana State Advertising director, promoted the Big Sky theme as a nickname for the state. Harry Missildine, Spokesman-Review sports editor, picked up the name and in a sports column promoted the name Big Sky as the name of the conference. On February 25, 1963, the conference adopted the name—Big Sky Athletic Conference.

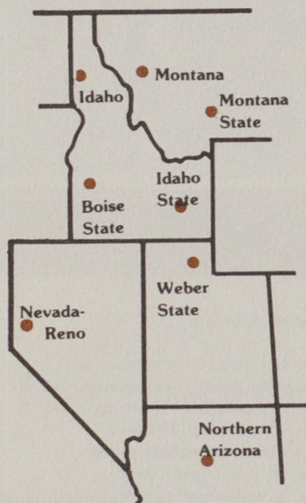
In 1970 the conference expanded to include Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, Ariz., and Boise State College, Boise, Idaho. Both entered as football playing schools.

Nevada-Reno became the newest member of the Big Sky July 1, 1979.

Jack Friel became the first commissioner in 1963, and the offices were established in Pullman, Wash., Friel's home. Following Friel's retirement in July, 1971, the offices were moved to Boise, Idaho, and John Roning was named commissioner. Steve Belko was named commissioner and assumed duties July 1, 1977 following Roning's retirement.



Steve Belko
Big Sky Commissioner



Past Champs, Runnersup

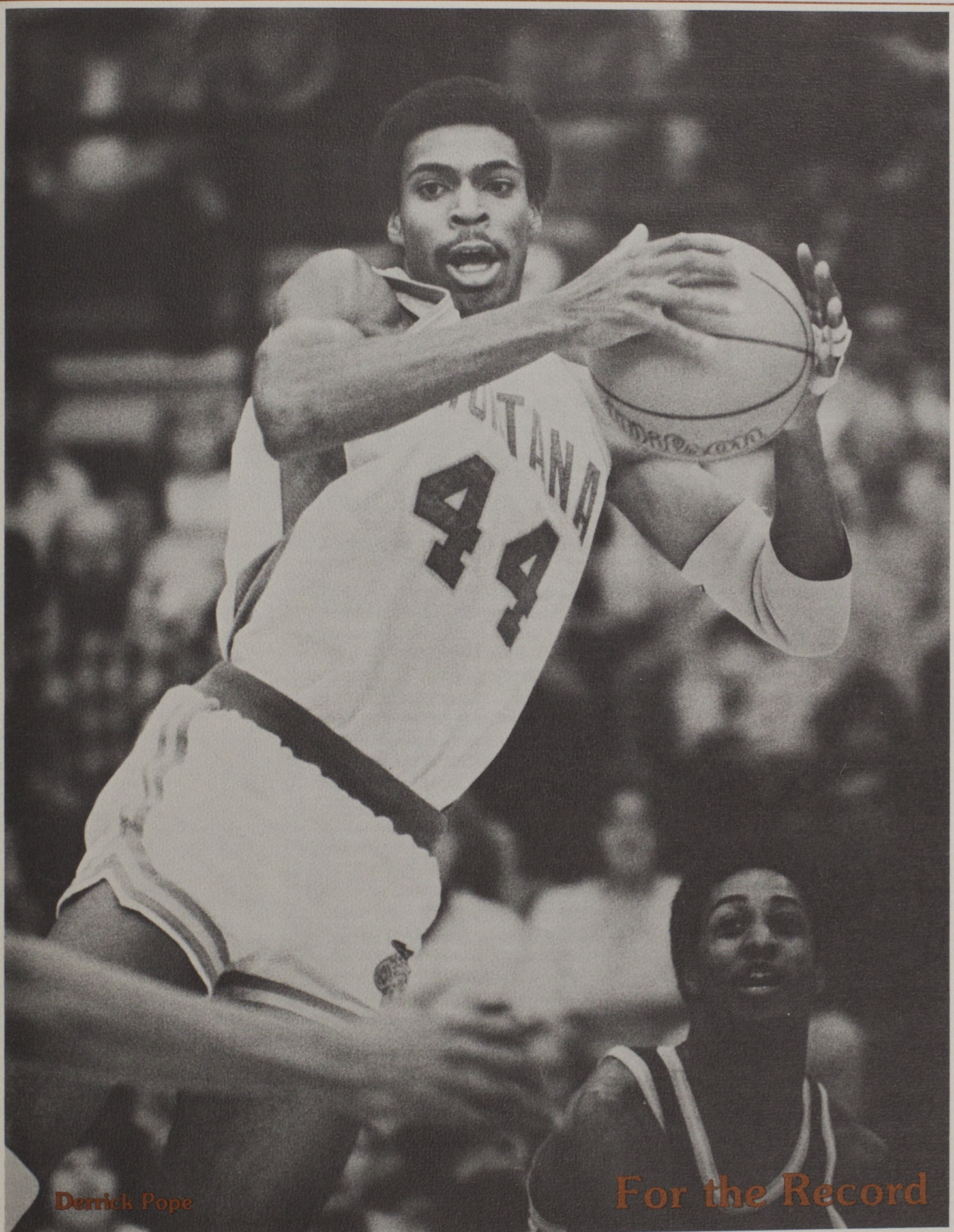
1979-80	.....	Weber State (13-1)	.....	Idaho (9-5)
1978-79	.....	Weber State (10-5)	.....	NAU, Idaho St. (8-6)
1977-78	.....	Montana (12-2)	.....	Idaho St. (11-3)
1976-77	.....	Idaho State (13-1)	.....	Weber St. (11-3)
1975-76	.....	Boise State (11-5)	.....	Weber St. (10-6)
1974-75	.....	Montana (13-1)	.....	Idaho State (9-5)
1973-74	.....	Idaho State (12-3)	.....	Montana (11-4)
1972-73	.....	Weber State (13-1)	.....	Idaho State (10-4)
1971-72	.....	Weber State (10-4)	.....	ISU, Gonzaga, NAU (8-6)
1970-71	.....	Weber State (12-2)	.....	Idaho, Montana State (8-6)
1969-70	.....	Weber State (12-3)	.....	Idaho State (11-4)
1968-69	.....	Weber State (15-0)	.....	Montana State (11-4)
1967-68	.....	Weber State (12-3)	.....	Idaho (9-6)
1966-67	.....	Montana State and Gonzaga (7-3)		
1965-66	.....	Gonzaga and Weber State (8-2)		
1964-65	.....	Weber State (8-2)	.....	Montana State, Gonzaga (6-4)
1963-64	.....	Montana State (8-2)	.....	Weber State (7-3)

Big Sky Standings

	BIG SKY					OVERALL				
	W	L	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.	W	L	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.
*#Weber State	13	1	.928	941	812	26	3	.896	2180	1836
Idaho	9	5	.642	976	894	17	10	.629	1887	1764
Montana	8	6	.571	908	857	17	11	.607	1903	1751
Montana State	7	7	.500	1169	1147	14	12	.538	2081	2041
Northern Ariz.	5	9	.357	975	1025	14	12	.538	1926	1952
Idaho State	5	9	.357	871	973	9	17	.346	1827	1987
Nevada-Reno	5	9	.357	1025	975	10	19	.344	2141	2246
Boise State	4	10	.285	930	1009	10	16	.384	1823	1913

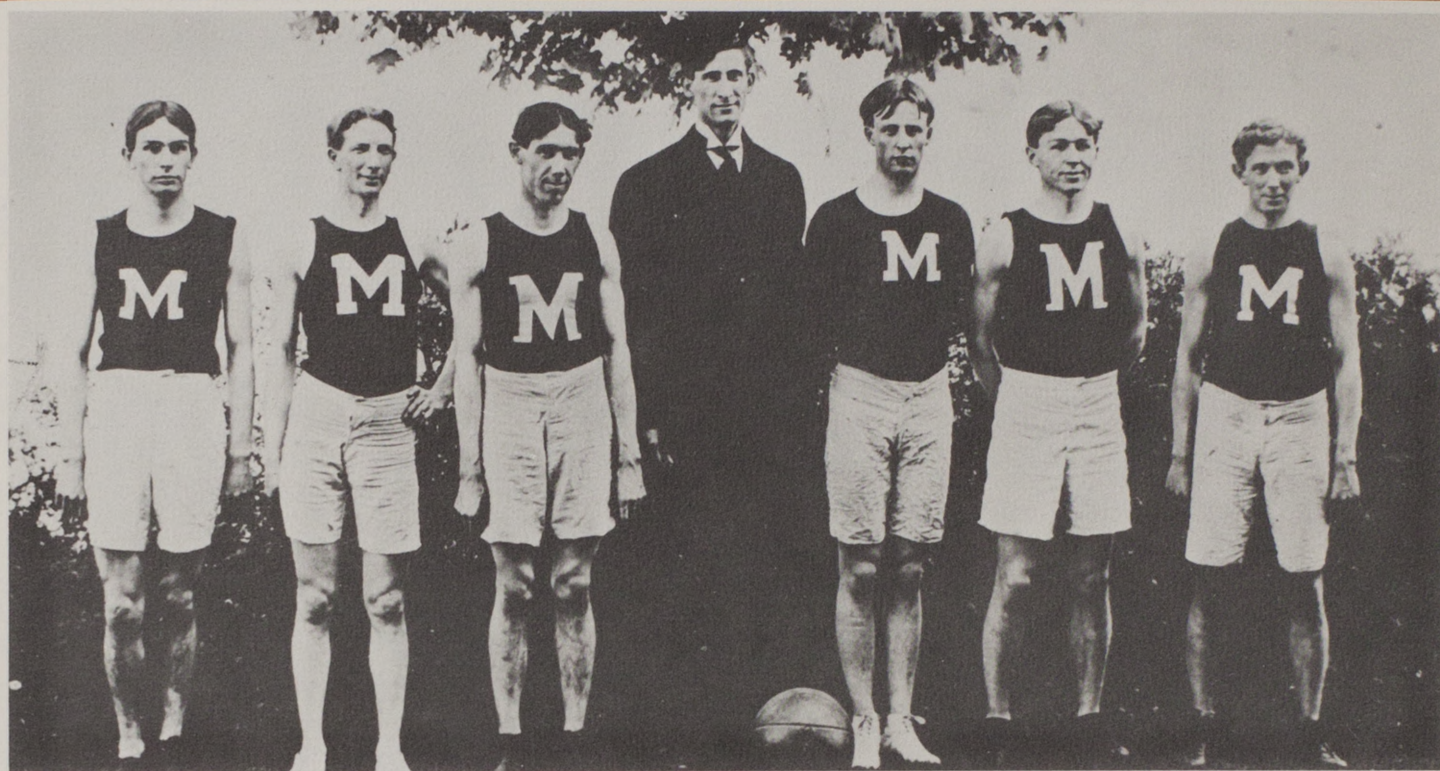
*Won post-season tournament to earn conference's berth in NCAA playoff.

#Won regular-season competition to host post-season playoff.



Derrick Pope

For the Record



UM All-Time Record

*Forfeited 11 wins because of ineligible player.

1979-80 Grizzly Results

W-L	Opponent	UM-Opp.	Site	Att.	Top Scorer	Pts.	Top Reb.	Rbs.
1-0	Doane College	65-63	Missoula	6,000	Knight	18	Knight	9
2-0	Stout State	78-64	Missoula	6,448	Green	16	Three with	7
2-1	Air Force	43-44	Colorado Springs	500	Brandon	13	Green	6
3-1	San Jose State (OT)	74-72	San Jose	942	Zanon	20	Green, Brandon	9
4-1	Cal-St. Dominguez	86-62	Missoula	6,019	Taylor	23	Stroeder	9
5-1	Carroll College	94-33	Missoula	4,213	Stroeder, Zanon	14	Stroeder	16
6-1	U of Denver	78-59	Missoula	4,550	Zanon	23	Stroeder	9
7-1	Mankato State	78-68	Missoula	4,050	Zanon	19	Brandon	9
7-2	Nevada-Las Vegas#	69-99	Las Vegas	6,310	Zanon	19	Brandon	9
7-3	North Texas State#	60-69	Las Vegas	6,450	Zanon	21	Zanon	8
7-4	Long Beach State	77-88	Missoula	7,531	Zanon	16	Green	7
7-5	Northern Arizona*	53-65	Flagstaff	4,685	Taylor	12	Pope	10
7-6	Nevada-Reno*	53-59	Reno	4,015	Taylor	14	Stroeder, Brandon	6
8-6	Idaho State*	77-54	Missoula	6,868	Stroeder	19	Stroeder	12
8-7	Weber State*	48-51	Missoula	8,569	Stroeder	19	Stroeder, Brandon	6
9-7	Boise State*	64-59	Boise	3,150	Stroeder, Zanon	19	Brandon	7
9-8	U of Idaho*	62-63	Moscow	5,700	Brandon	13	Stroeder	10
10-8	Montana State*	92-78	Missoula	9,528	Zanon	25	Stroeder	7
11-8	Nevada-Reno*	56-55	Missoula	6,330	Taylor	19	Stroeder	8
12-8	Northern Arizona*	66-56	Missoula	7,448	Zanon	17	Stroeder	8
12-9	Weber State*	60-74	Ogden	10,584	Zanon	17	Stroeder	8
13-9	Idaho State*	65-52	Pocatello	3,501	Zanon	18	Green	11
13-10	U of Idaho*	44-51	Missoula	6,120	Zanon	14	Green	9
14-10	Boise State*	83-62	Missoula	6,514	Zanon	20	Brandon	8
15-10	Portland State	08-70	Missoula	5,700	Taylor	24	Pope	9
16-10	Montana State*	85-78	Bozeman	9,537	Taylor	22	Green	9
17-10	University of Idaho†	63-53	Ogden	8,098	Zanon	19	Zanon	8
17-11	Weber State†	42-50	Ogden	8,247	Stroeder, Brandon	12	Zanon	6

*Big Sky Conference game

#Las Vegas Rebel Roundup Tournament

†Big Sky Conference Tournament

Grizzly All-Big Sky Selections

1980	2nd team:	John Stroeder
	2nd team:	Craig Zanon
1979	2nd team:	John Stroeder
	2nd team:	Alan Nielsen
1978	1st team:	Michael Ray Richardson
	2nd team:	Allan Nielsen
	2nd team:	John Stroeder
1977	1st team:	Michael Ray Richardson
	2nd team:	Michael John Richardson
1976	1st team:	Michael Ray Richardson
1975	1st team:	Ken McKenzie and Eric Hays
1974	1st team:	Ken McKenzie
	2nd team:	Eric Hays and Robin Selvig
1973	1st team:	Mike Murray
1972	1st team:	Mike Murray
1970	1st team:	Dave Gustafson
1969	1st team:	Harold Ross
	2nd team:	Ron Moore
1968	2nd team:	Ron Moore
1966	2nd team:	John Holliday and John Quist
1965	2nd team:	Ed Samelton
1964	2nd team:	Tim Aldrich

1979-80 Official All-Conference Team

First Team	School	Pos	Ht.	Wt.	Class	Hometown
Bruce Collins#††	Weber State	G	6-5	180	Senior	Rock Springs, WY
David Johnson*	Weber State	F	6-8	175	Senior	Loomis, CA
Don Newman#	Idaho	G	6-4	190	Senior	New Orleans, LA
Gene Ransom	Nevada-Reno	G	5-9	180	Senior	Berkeley, CA
Mark Stevens	Northern Arizona	F	6-6	200	Senior	Scottsdale, AZ
Second Team						
Doug Hashley	Montana State	F	6-6	225	Soph.	Big Sandy, MT
Mark Mattos	Weber State	G	6-0	175	Senior	Santa Barbara, CA
Arnold McDowell	Montana State	G	6-4	185	Senior	San Angelo, Texas
Richard Smith*	Weber State	C	7-1	225	Senior	Green River, WY
John Stroeder	Montana	C	6-10	240	Senior	Port Townsend, WA
Craig Zanon	Montana	G	6-6	190	Junior	Kalispell, MT

#Unanimous selection. *1978-79 1st team pick. †1977-78 1st team pick

Note: Blaine Taylor, Montana, was honorable mention pick

Dropout: Al Nielsen (32)

Final 1979-80 Grizzly Basketball Statistics

Player	G-S	FG-FGA-Pct.	FT-FTA-Pct.	Reb.-Avg.	A-Avg.	PF-D	TO	Pts.-Avg.	High
Craig Zanon	25-25	121-254-.476	135-163-.828	95-3.8	53-2.1	74-2	80	377-15.1	25
Blaine Taylor	28-27	114-233-.489	86-102-.843	75-2.7	104-3.7	64-3	98	314-11.2	24
John Stroeder	24-22	102-211-.483	62-86-.721	162-6.8	22-0.9	68-3	44	266-11.1	22
Rod Brandon	28-28	92-198-.467	29-62-.468	151-5.4	51-1.8	94-5	67	213-7.6	14
Marty Green	28-28	79-179-.441	30-51-.588	132-4.7	37-1.3	70-3	46	188-6.7	16
Tim McCauley	28-4	58-140-.414	42-62-.677	34-1.2	51-1.8	40-0	24	158-5.6	17
Tim Knight	28-4	43-93-.462	59-87-.678	88-3.3	21-0.7	45-0	24	145-5.2	21
Derrick Pope	25-0	34-74-.459	48-60-.800	93-3.7	14-0.6	29-0	20	116-4.6	10
Richie Edwards	14-0	19-41-.463	4-15-.267	17-1.2	9-0.6	18-0	12	42-3.0	10
Jim Caler	8-0	10-23-.435	1-4-.250	14-1.8	3-0.3	8-0	6	21-2.6	8
Craig Larsen	8-1	5-18-.277	11-16-.688	17-1.2	1-0.1	20-1	6	20-2.5	5
Brian Morris	11-0	6-14-.429	6-12-.500	6-0.5	4-0.3	8-0	9	18-1.6	8
Greg Crutcher	16-0	10-26-.385	2-12-.166	23-1.4	3-0.2	14-0	8	22-1.4	4
Dave Johnson	6-0	1-3-.333	1-2-.500	4-0.8	0-0.0	4-0	0	3-0.6	3
Montana	28	694-1507-.461	515-734-.705	1072*-38.3	373-13.3	556-17	444	1903-68.0	94
Opponents	28	682-1524-.448	387-557-.695	972*-34.7	392-14.0	643-33	486	1751-62.5	99

28 games (8-6 Big Sky) (17-11 overall) (12-3 home; 4-7 road; 1-1 neutral).

UM team rebounds, 120; opponents rebounds, 133.

Steals (187): Brandon 37, Taylor 35, Zanon 31, McCauley 21, Green 18, Stroeder 13, Knight 13, Morris 5, Crutcher 4, Edwards 4, Pope 3, Caler 1, Johnson 1, Larsen 1.

Blocks (53): Stroeder 19, Green 10, Knight 9, Zanon 3, Pope 3, Edwards 2, Brandon 2, Caler 1, Morris 1, McCauley 1, Larsen 1, Taylor 1.

Dead Ball Rebounds: Montana 41, opponents 41.

*Includes team and dead ball rebounds.

1979-80 Final Statistics Big Sky Games Only

Player	G-S	FG-FGA-Pct.	FT-FTA-Pct.	Reb.-Avg.	A-Avg.	PF-D	TO	Pts.-Avg.	High
Craig Zanon	13-13	60-121-.496	75-88-.852	44-3.4	24-1.8	38-0	39	195-15.0	25
John Stroeder	14-14	64-125-.512	35-45-.778	98-7.0	10-0.7	41-2	27	163-11.6	22
Blaine Taylor	14-14	62-132-.470	38-45-.844	38-2.7	54-3.9	36-2	44	162-11.6	22
Rod Brandon	14-14	44-96-.458	16-27-.593	70-5.0	23-1.6	50-3	35	104-7.4	14
Marty Green	14-14	34-76-.447	18-30-.600	62-4.4	16-1.1	30-0	20	86-6.1	15
Derrick Pope	14-0	21-41-.512	21-44-.475	44-3.1	3-0.2	14-0	9	68-4.9	9
Tim McCauley	14-1	25-59-.424	18-32-.563	17-1.2	19-1.4	16-0	10	68-4.9	15
Tim Knight	14-0	11-27-.407	15-23-.652	26-1.9	5-0.4	22-0	11	37-2.6	8
Richie Edwards	6-0	6-11-.545	4-12-.333	9-1.5	5-0.9	8-0	5	16-2.7	6
Brian Morris	4-0	3-7-.429	2-3-.667	0-0.0	0-0.0	1-0	0	8-2.0	8
Greg Crutcher	7-0	6-8-.750	0-2-.000	9-1.5	1-0.2	6-0	3	4-0.6	2
Montana	14	332-712-.480	244-332-.735	495*-35.4	177-12.6	270-7	214	908-64.5	92
Opponents	14	336-726-.463	185-267-.697	445*-31.8	187-13.4	303-14	212	857-61.2	78

14 games (8-6)

UM team rebounds, 51; opponents team rebounds, 58.

Steals (88): Brandon 22, Taylor 16, Zanon 15, McCauley 11, Green 9, Stroeder 8, Knight 5, Crutcher 2.

Blocks (22): Stroeder 9, Green 5, Knight 5, Zanon 1, Pope 1, Brandon 1.

Dead Ball Rebounds: Montana 16, opponents 16.

*Includes team and dead ball rebounds.

Dropout: Blaine Taylor

The Grizzly Record Book

Individual Records

Single Game

MOST POINTS

40, Bob Cope vs. Gonzaga University, 1948 (Old Gym)

40, M. R. Richardson vs. MSU, 1976 (Fieldhouse)

MOST FIELD GOALS MADE

18, M. R. Richardson vs. MSU, 1976

MOST FREE THROWS MADE

20, Ron Moore vs. Gonzaga, 1968

MOST REBOUNDS

26, Russ Sheriff vs. Gonzaga, 1955

MOST ASSISTS

13, Jim Malloy vs. Boise St., 1978

Single Season

MOST POINTS

701, Bob Cope, 1949-50

HIGHEST SCORING AVERAGE

22.6, Bob Cope, 1949-50, 31 games

MOST FIELD GOALS

276, Bob Cope, 1949-50

HIGHEST FIELD GOAL PCT.

(min. 100 made)

.646 M. J. Richardson, 1975-76, 113-175

MOST FREE THROWS MADE

159, Chuck Davis, 1952-53

HIGHEST FREE THROW PCT.

(min. 50 made)

.885, Eric Hays, 1974-75, 91-106

MOST REBOUNDS

393, Ray Howard, 1954-55

MOST ASSISTS

117, M. R. Richardson, 1977-78

Career

MOST POINTS

1827, M. R. Richardson, 1974-78, 4 seasons

1633, Bob Cope, 1948-50, 3 seasons

MOST FREE THROWS MADE

452, Bob Cope, 1947-50, 4 seasons

399, Bob Cope, 1948-50, 3 seasons

MOST ASSISTS

372, M. R. Richardson, 1974-78, 4 seasons

HIGHEST FIELD GOAL PCT.

.609, M. J. Richardson, 1974-77, 259-425

HIGHEST FREE THROW PCT.

.832, Allan Nielsen, 124-149, 1975-79

MOST REBOUNDS

859, Ken McKenzie, 1972-75

Team Records

Single Game

HIGHEST UM SCORE

111 vs. Idaho State, 1966

HIGHEST OPPONENTS SCORE

124 by Idaho State, 1970

HIGHEST FIELD GOAL PCT.

.717 vs. Washington State, 1968, 33-46

MOST FIELD GOALS MADE

51 vs. Idaho State, 1966

MOST FREE THROWS MADE

34 vs. Wyoming, 1953

34 vs. Gonzaga, 1968

34 vs. Washington State, 1968

Single Season

MOST POINTS

2,400, 1949-50 (31 games)

HIGHEST SCORING AVERAGE

83.6, 1965-66, 24 games, 2,006 points

HIGHEST FIELD GOAL PCT.

.505, 1975-76, 708-1401

HIGHEST FREE THROW PCT.

.723, 1978-79, 378-523

MOST REBOUNDS

1,250, 1964-65, 26 games

MOST CONSECUTIVE WINS

13, 1941-42, 1973-74

Fieldhouse Records

MOST POINTS BY INDIVIDUAL

42, Wayne Estes of Utah State, 1964

MOST POINTS BY UM PLAYER

40, M. R. Richardson, vs. MSU, 1976

MOST POINTS BY TEAM

111 by UM vs. Idaho State, 1966

111 by Oral Roberts, 1971

MOST POINTS BY UM

111 vs. Idaho State, 1966

ATTENDANCE

Game, 9,526 vs. MSU, 2-24-79

Season, 7,929 avg., 1977-78

Single Season Scoring

Pts.	Name	Year	G	Avg.
701	Bob Cope	1949-50	31	22.6
653	M. R. Richardson	1977-78	29	22.5
518	Ken McKenzie	1974-75	29	17.9
509	Bob Cope	1947-48	32	15.9
506	Dave Gustafson	1969-70	26	19.5
505	Ken McKenzie	1973-74	27	18.7
500	M. R. Richardson	1976-77	26	19.2
479	Harold Ross	1968-69	26	18.4
478	Ed Samelton	1964-65	26	18.4
456	M. R. Richardson	1975-76	25	18.2
446	Ray Howard	1954-55	26	17.2
438	Mike Murray	1972-73	26	16.8
437	Charles Davis	1952-53	25	17.5
428	Ed Argenbright	1955-56	26	16.5
428	John Holliday	1965-66	24	17.8
423	Bob Cope	1948-49	25	16.9
397	Dan Balko	1959-60	24	16.5
397	Ron Moore	1968-69	26	15.3
390	Dan Balko	1958-59	24	16.3
383	Eric Hays	1974-75	29	13.2
381	Mike Murray	1971-72	26	14.7
377	Craig Zanon	1979-80	27	14.2
375	Allan Nielsen	1978-79	27	13.9
370	John Stroeder	1979-80	27	13.8

Career Scoring List

Pts.	Name	Years	Seasons
1827	M. R. Richardson	1974-78	four
1808	Bob Cope	1947-50	four
1335	Ken McKenzie	1972-75	three
1224	Lou Rocheleau	1945-49	four
1213	Charles Davis	1946-52	four
1100	Ed Argenbright	1953-56	three
1025	Dan Balko	1957-60	three
965	Zip Rhoades	1954-57	three
947	John Stroeder	1977-80	four
927	Ben DeMers	1973-77	four
856	Steve Lowry	1960-63	three
855	Ray Howard	1969-72	three
830	Tim Aldrich	1961-64	three
819	Mike Murray	1971-73	two
796	Eric Hays	1972-75	three
766	Bill Jones	1939-42	three
747	Robert Sparks	1949-52	three

Grizzly Basketball Awards

C. R. DRAGSTEDT AWARD

Most Valuable Player

1953—Chuck Davis	1960—Dan Balko	1967—Dennis Biletnikoff	1974—Ken McKenzie
1954—Ed Anderson	1961—Bob O'Billovich	1968—Dan Parsons	1975—Ken McKenzie
1955—Ed Argenbright	1962—Dan Sullivan	1969—Ron Moore	1976—M. R. Richardson
1956—Ed Argenbright	1963—Ray Lucien	1970—Dave Gustafson	1977—M. R. Richardson
1957—Zip Rhoades	1964—Tim Aldrich	1971—Don Wetzel	1978—M. R. Richardson
1958—Russ Sheriff	1965—Ed Samelton	1972—Ray Howard	1979—Allan Nielsen
1959—Dan Balko	1966—Gary Peck	1973—Mike Murray	1980—John Stroeder

JOHN EAHEART MEMORIAL AWARD

Outstanding Defensive Player

1961—Kay Roberts	1966—Greg Hanson	1970—Howard Clark	1975—Tom Peck
1962—Bob O'Billovich	Norm Clark	1971—Mike Vernon	1976—Tim Stambaugh
1963—Tim Aldrich	1967—Greg Hanson	1972—Earl Tye	1977—Ben DeMers
1964—Harold Fullerton	1968—Rick Johnston	1973—Earl Tye	1978—Jim Malloy
1965—Gary Meggeline	1969—Dave Gustafson	1974—Robin Selvig	1979—Rod Brandon
			1980—Rod Brandon

NASEBY RHINEHART AWARD

Most Inspirational Player

1973—Dale Parker	1977—Michael John Richardson
1974—Eric Hays	1978—Jim Malloy
1975—Eric Hays	1979—John Stroeder
1976—Tim Stambaugh	1980—Craig Zanon

ALLAN NIELSEN AWARD

(Formerly Coaches' Award)

Best Represents Griz Basketball

1979—Craig Zanon	1980—Tim McCauley
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Dropout: Robert Cope

Season Bests/Records

ATTENDANCE

1979-80	109,000 in 15 games (7,267)	*1965-66	35,692 in 13 games (2,746)
1978-79	101,645 in 13 games (7,819)	*1964-65	37,164 in 15 games (2,478)
1977-78	118,948 in 15 games (7,930)	*1963-64	32,621 in 12 games (2,718)
1976-77	91,847 in 13 games (7,065)	*1962-63	34,772 in 12 games (2,898)
1975-76	93,327 in 14 games (6,666)	*1961-62	31,273 in 11 games (2,843)
1974-75	64,151 in 12 games (5,346)	*1960-61	32,912 in 12 games (2,743)
1973-74	67,855 in 15 games (4,524)	*1959-60	35,635 in 12 games (2,969)
1972-73	44,969 in 14 games (3,212)	*1959-59	31,874 in 10 games (3,187)
1971-72	37,732 in 13 games (2,903)	*1957-58	45,333 in 12 games (3,794)
*1970-71	33,200 in 12 games (2,767)	*1956-57	50,220 in 12 games (4,168)
*1969-70	37,697 in 13 games (2,899)	*1955-56	53,183 in 12 games (4,432)
*1968-69	42,028 in 13 games (3,233)	*1954-55	49,652 in 13 games (3,819)
*1967-68	33,767 in 12 games (2,814)	*1953-54	52,749 in 12 games (4,396)
*1966-67	33,661 in 12 games (2,805)	*UM students in free and estimated to average 800.	



REBOUNDING

1979-80	John Stroeder, 162—6.8 average
1978-79	John Stroeder, 211—7.8 average
1977-79	M. R. Richardson, 185—6.9 average
1976-77	M. J. Richardson, 273—11.3 average
1975-76	M. J. Richardson, 203—8.1 average
1974-75	Ken McKenzie, 311—10.7 average
1973-74	Ken McKenzie, 301—11.1 average
1972-73	Ken McKenzie, 247—9.5 average
1971-72	Ray Howard, 224—9.7 average
1970-71	Ray Howard, 268—11.2 average
1969-70	Howard Clark, 189—7.3 average
1968-69	George Yule, 182—7.3 average
1967-68	Don Parsons, 212—8.8 average
1966-67	Norm Clark, 240—10.0 average
1965-66	Norm Clark, 232—9.7 average
1964-65	Ed Samelton, 204—7.8 average
1963-64	John Quist, 150—6.5 average
1962-63	Steve Lowry, 163—10.2 average
1961-62	Steve Lowry, 276—11.6 average
1960-61	Steve Lowry, 321—14.0 average
1959-60	Duane Ruegsegger, 223—10.6 average
1958-59	Darrol Dunham, 292—12.1 average
1957-58	Russ Sheriff, 289—13.1 average
1956-57	Russ Sheriff, 200—10.0 average
1955-56	Russ Sheriff, 299—11.5 average
1954-55	Ray Howard, 393—15.1 average
1953-54	Eddie Anderson, 166—6.4 average

SCORING

1979-80	Craig Zanon, 377—15.1 average
1978-79	Allan Nielsen, 355—13.9 average
1977-78	M. R. Richardson, 683—24.2 average
1976-77	M. R. Richardson, 500—19.2 average
1975-76	M. R. Richardson, 456—18.2 average
1974-75	Ken McKenzie, 518—17.9 average
1973-74	Ken McKenzie, 505—18.7 average
1972-73	Mike Murray, 438—16.8 average
1971-72	Mike Murray, 381—14.7 average
1970-71	Ray Howard, 332—13.8 average
1969-70	Dave Gustafson, 506—19.5 average
1968-69	Harold Ross, 479—18.4 average
1967-68	Don Parsons, 286—11.9 average
1966-67	Dennis Biletnikoff, 363—15.1 average
1965-66	John (Doc) Holliday, 248—17.8 average
1964-65	Ed Samelton, 478—18.4 average
1963-64	Tim Aldrich, 297—14.1 average
1962-63	Ray Lucien, 260—10.8 average
1961-62	Steve Lowry, 363—15.1 average
1960-61	Bob O'Billovich, 328—14.3 average
1959-60	Dan Balko, 397—16.6 average
1958-59	Dan Balko, 390—16.3 average
1957-58	Jim Powell, 288—13.1 average
1956-57	Zip Rhoades, 316—14.4 average
1955-56	Ed Argenbright, 428—16.5 average
1954-55	Ray Howard, 446—17.2 average
1953-54	Ed Argenbright, 337—12.5 average



Voice of the Grizzlies

"Grizzly" Bill Schwanke is the voice of the Montana Grizzlies on KYLT radio, UM's official station for Grizzly athletics. Beginning his 10th year broadcasting Grizzly football and basketball games, Schwanke is the only sports director KYLT has had since being awarded broadcast rights for UM athletics in 1971. Schwanke is a former sports editor for *The Missoulian* newspaper and a former UM sports information director. He is a 1967 graduate of UM. He has been awarded Montana's sports broadcaster of the year award four times and given the 1977 Ed Chinske Award honoring Missoula's outstanding sports professional.

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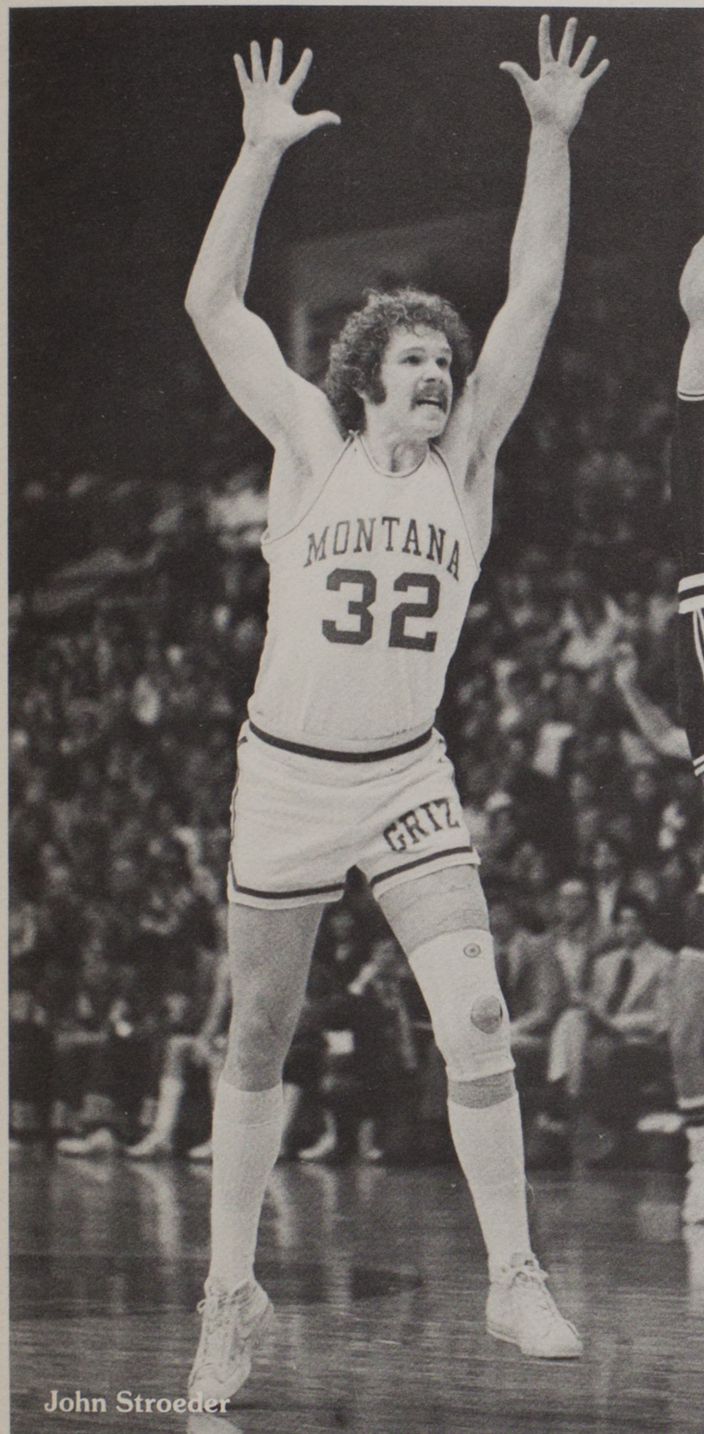
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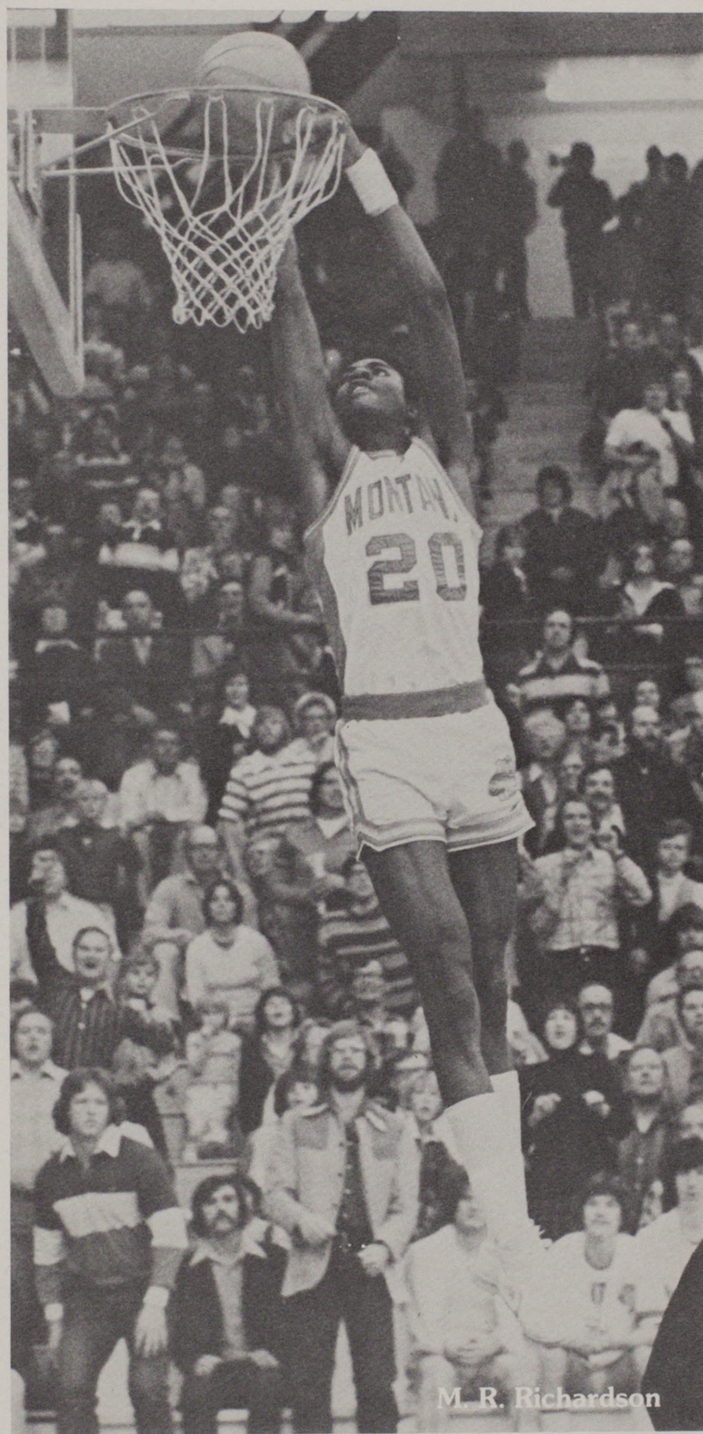
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MONTANA PROS



John Stroeder



M. R. Richardson

M. R. "Sugar Ray" Richardson and John Stroeder

The success of the University of Montana is reflected in the careers of M. R. "Sugar Ray" Richardson and John Stroeder.

Richardson, a 6-5 guard, currently plays for the New York Knicks, and was a National Basketball Association All-Star pick last season. He was the NBA leader in assists and one of the top steals leaders as well.

Stroeder, a 6-10 center, is now playing for Club Fiat, a professional team in Birmingham, England. He was an eighth round draft pick of the Portland Trailblazers in the 1980 draft.

Both players have left their mark in the Grizzly record book. Richardson is the all-time Montana scorer with 1,827 career points. He holds single season records in assists (117) as well as career assists (372). He also tied a record when he scored 40 points in one game.

Stroeder is the No. 7 all-time scorer with 947 points and ranks in the top 10 rebounding with 581.

SAYS COACH MONTGOMERY: "Michael Ray, being the fourth best player on his high school team worked hard and long for the success he has had. He was the first Big Sky player to make the NBA all-star team, and I think he set his mind to do that a long time ago. It shows that a player, no matter where he goes to school, if he is good enough he can make it to the pro ranks."

"Strodes made tremendous improvement in four years at Montana. He turned from a 6-8, 250-pound recruiting gamble to a three-time All-Big Sky pick and a European pro. He might lack the ability to play in the NBA, but he has the skill to make an excellent living in European pro ball. His biggest asset is his coach-ability and desire to improve."



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